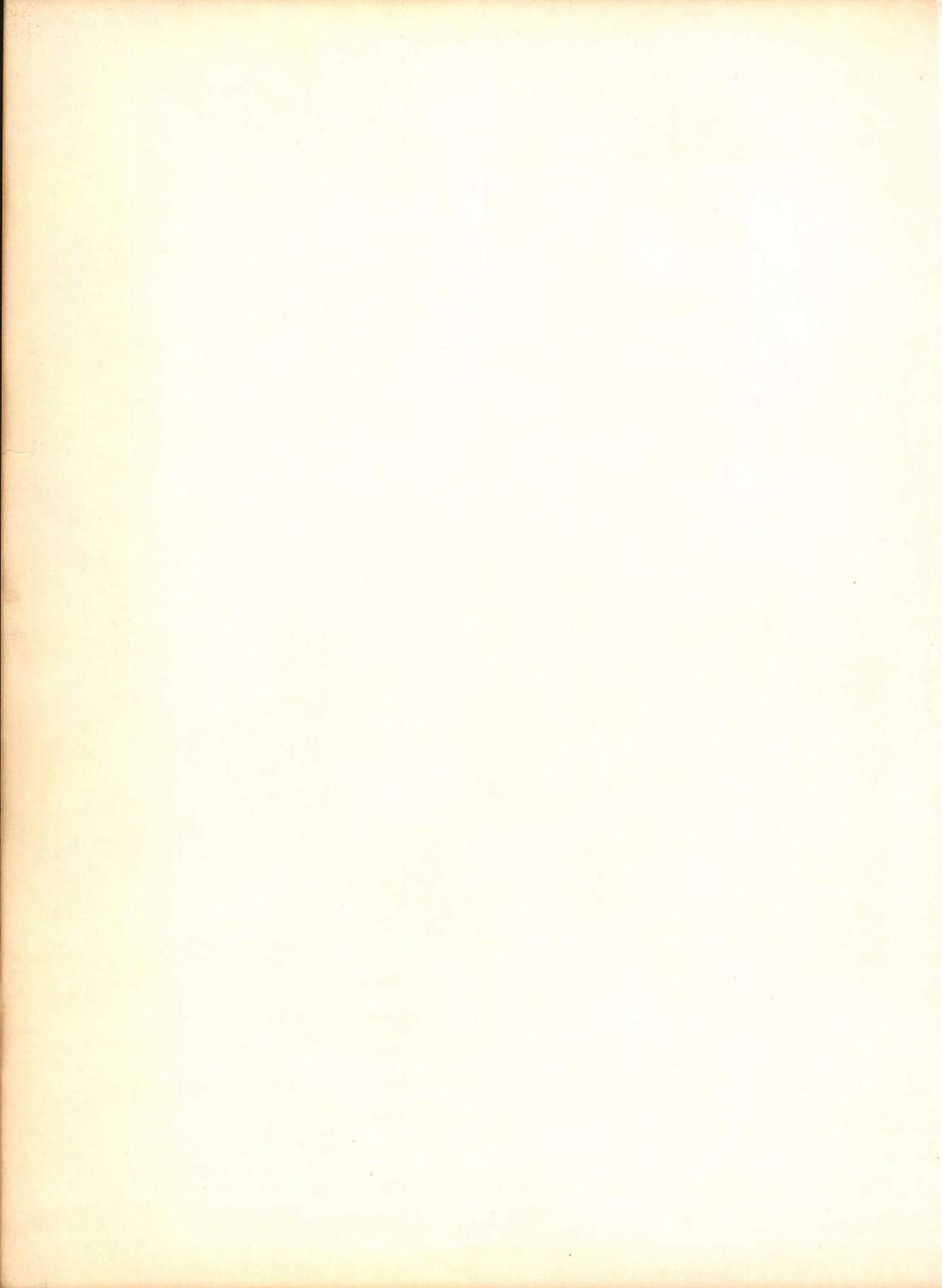










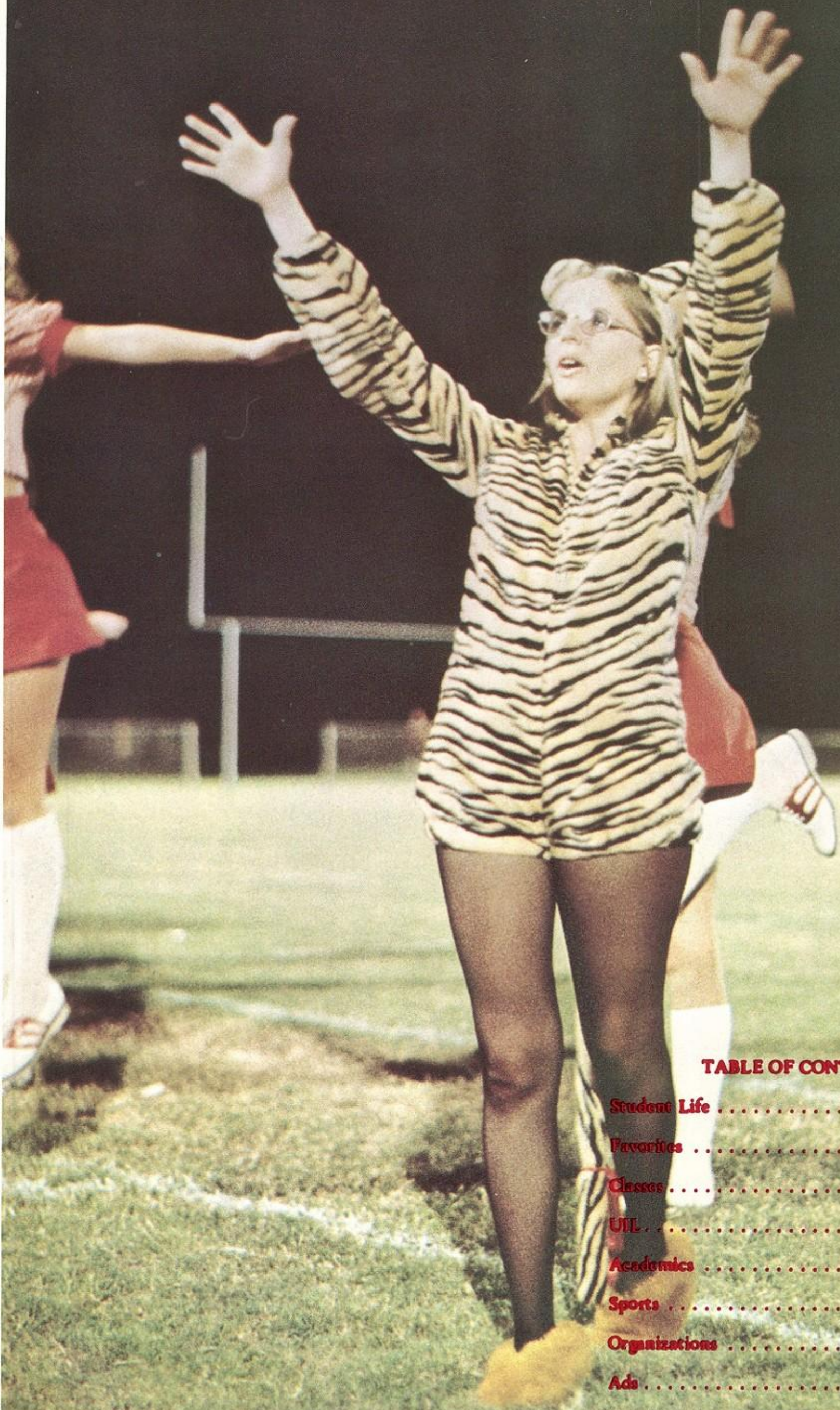


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Who Are We,
Why Are We Here,
Where Are We Going?

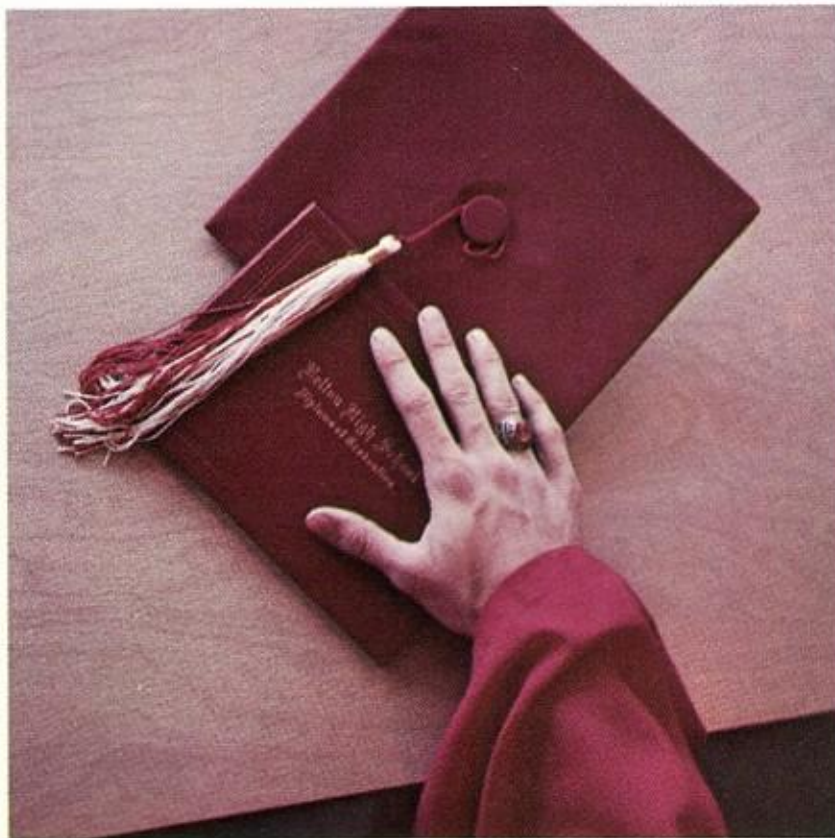




Personalities, Achievements, Decisions

We often wonder what our future holds,
But as new friends are found, knowledge acquired,
and activities come to the campus,
We tend to forget our responsibilities for tomorrow's
decisions.

The purpose of the 1975 LAIR is to help with the
realization of each individual's personality, his
1975 achievements, and the importance of his
future.





Fans join the players in prayer after a game.

Jack Stewart puts down his drum sticks to join the cheerleaders in boosting the team to victory.

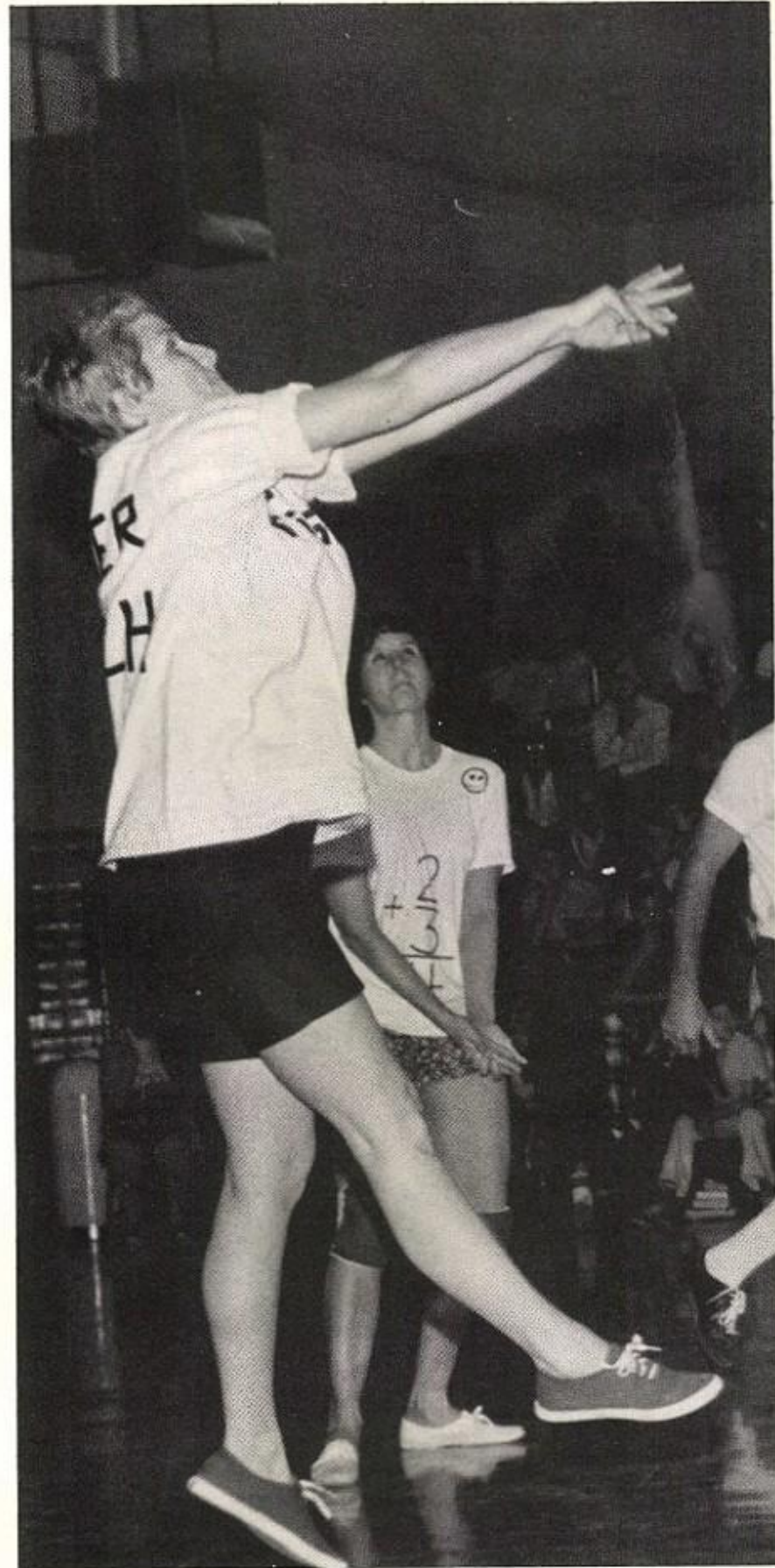
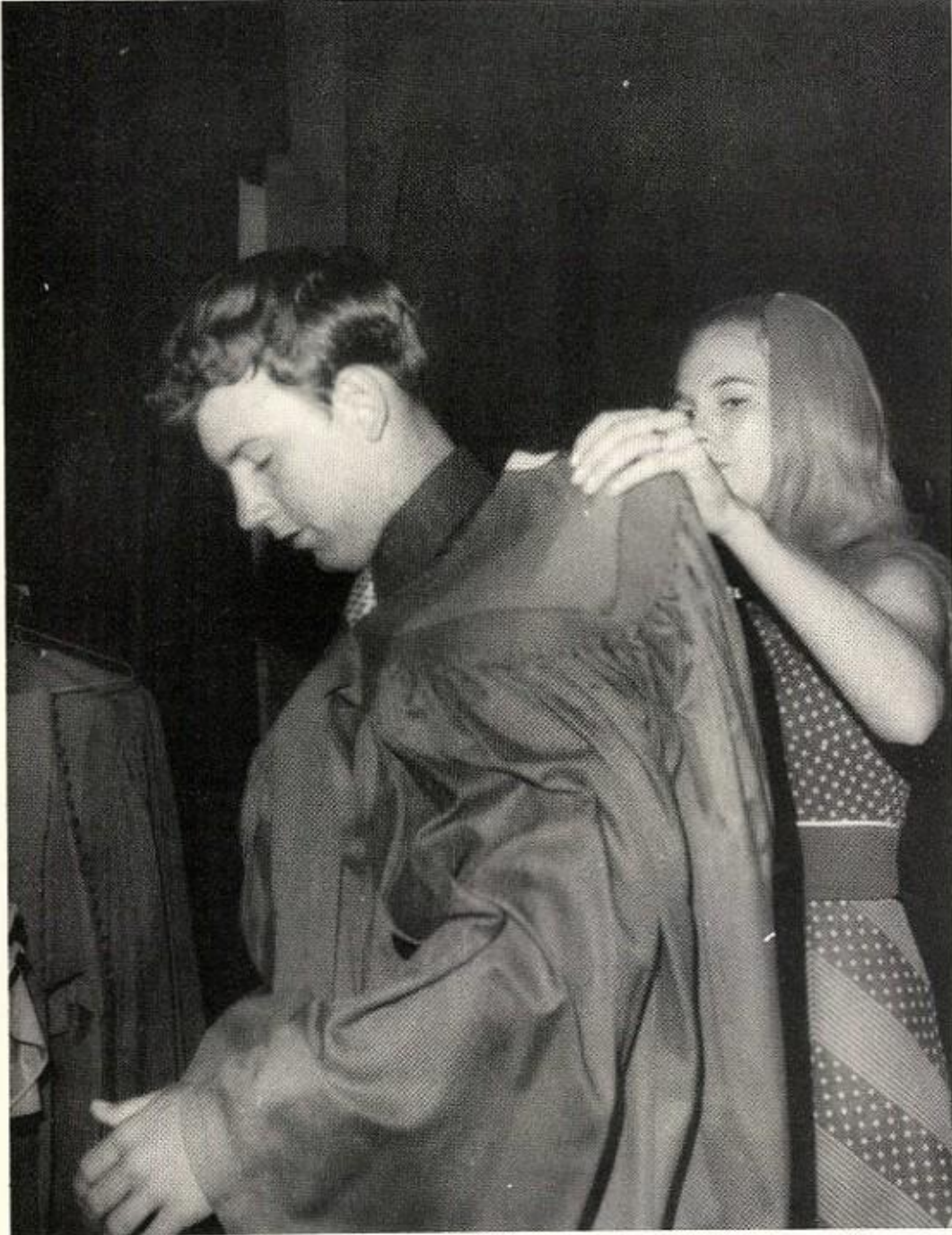
The band performs one of their many half time shows.

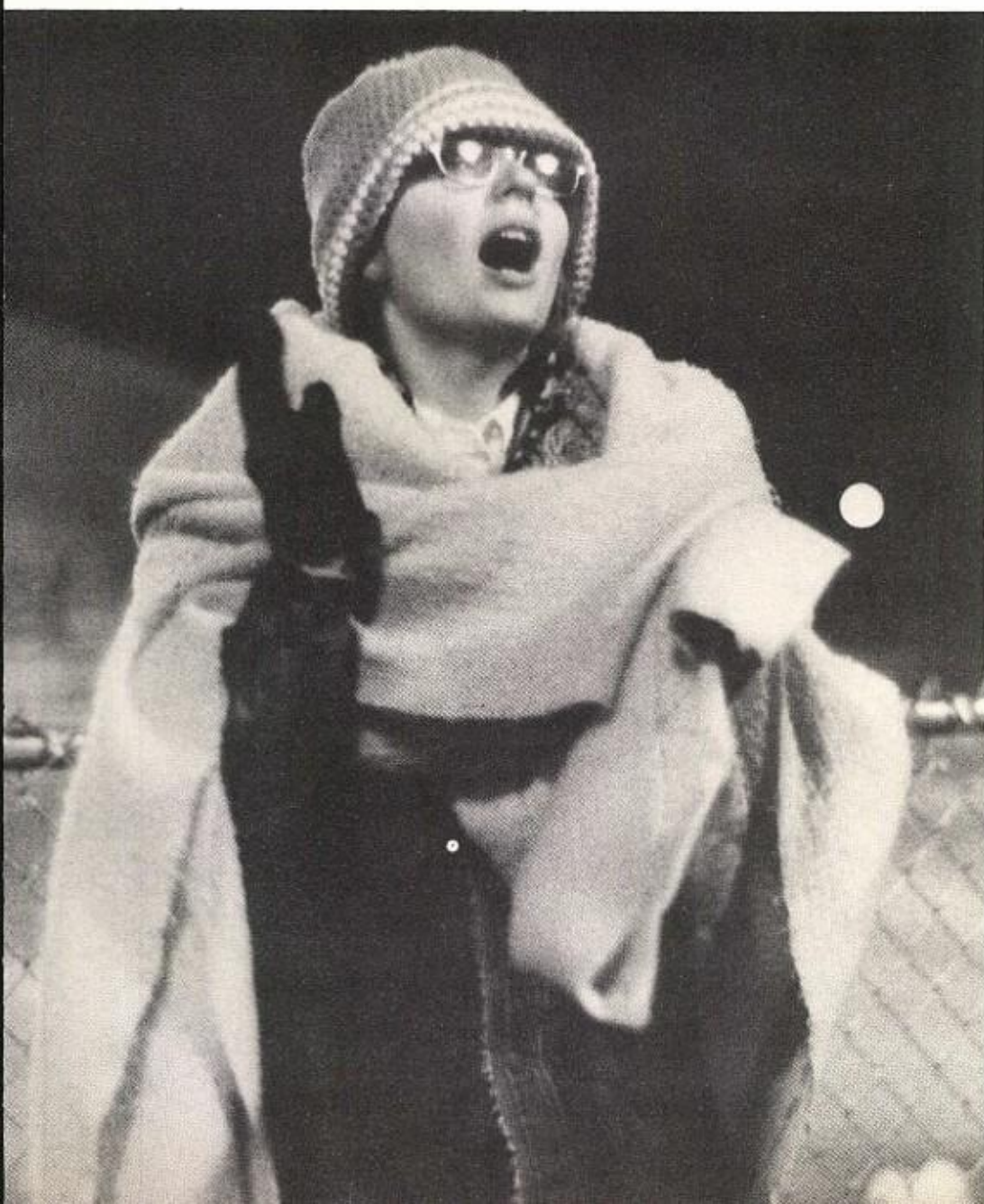
Tracey Sanford presents roses to Debbie Whitmire, this year's Band Sweetheart.



It's Friendship

Friendship, a treasure of life and memories,
The memory of senior portraits, involved . . .





teachers,
And moments of companionship.
Students spend a day in the '50's
And Tigo boosts spirit
All with the joyous memory of friends.

GOIN' BAND FROM TIGERLAND



One of the traditions of the band is to paint the big sign for each football game. This year's sign chairman was Tracey Sanford. The band put together thirteen signs this season. The money to sponsor the sign was donated each week by a different local merchant.





The band is pictured in their performance at the Cotton Bowl's "Parade of Champions" contest.

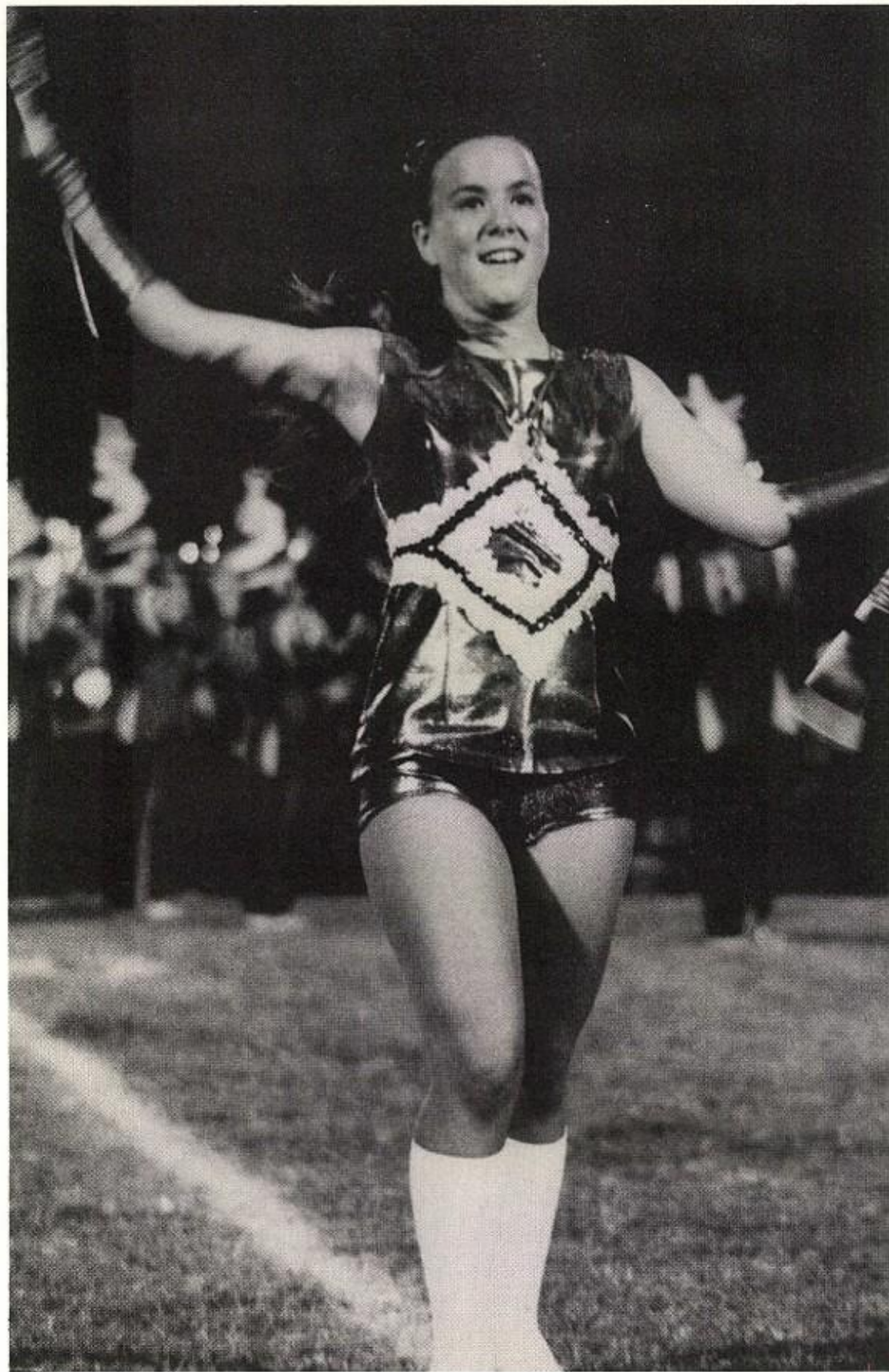
Debbie Whitmire was chosen by the band to be their sweetheart. She has been a member of the Marching 100 for three years and is serving as clarinet section leader this year.

Challenge Of Success

Careful planning is necessary to make any project successful.

We are here to learn and go away filled with knowledge and memories.

Any open mind of a willing person has the ability to reach horizons that have never been explored.



Debbie Hanes, drum majorette, is feature twirler at many of the games.

Fans enjoy the Gatesville game as they cheer the team to victory.

On this page Mrs. Lilla Barnes is pictured with some of her students on Western day.

Lisa Sanders takes time out of her busy schedule to study for a few minutes.

Students work diligently to build the bonfire.



The Ultimate Goal

Physical activity results in the accomplishment of pride, tradition, and patience as well as body development. Each participant, whether player or spectator, has a chance to help the team reach a goal. Success is possible in every facet of life—sports, personality, academics. But physically and mentally success is the ultimate goal in sports as well as life.



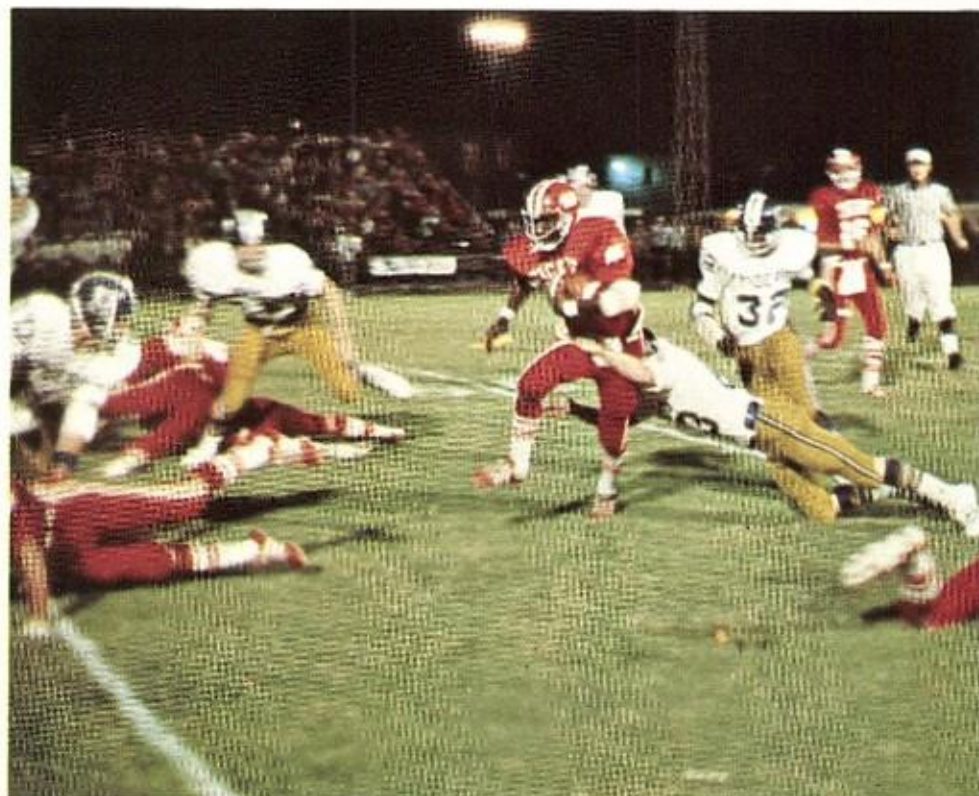


Carrie Dingus was chosen as this year's Homecoming Sweetheart.

The twirlers pick up pom-poms to add spirit to one of the many victory marches.

Laurie Stewart was chosen by the team as this year's Football Sweetheart

Big Red runs through the traditional sign on the way to victory.

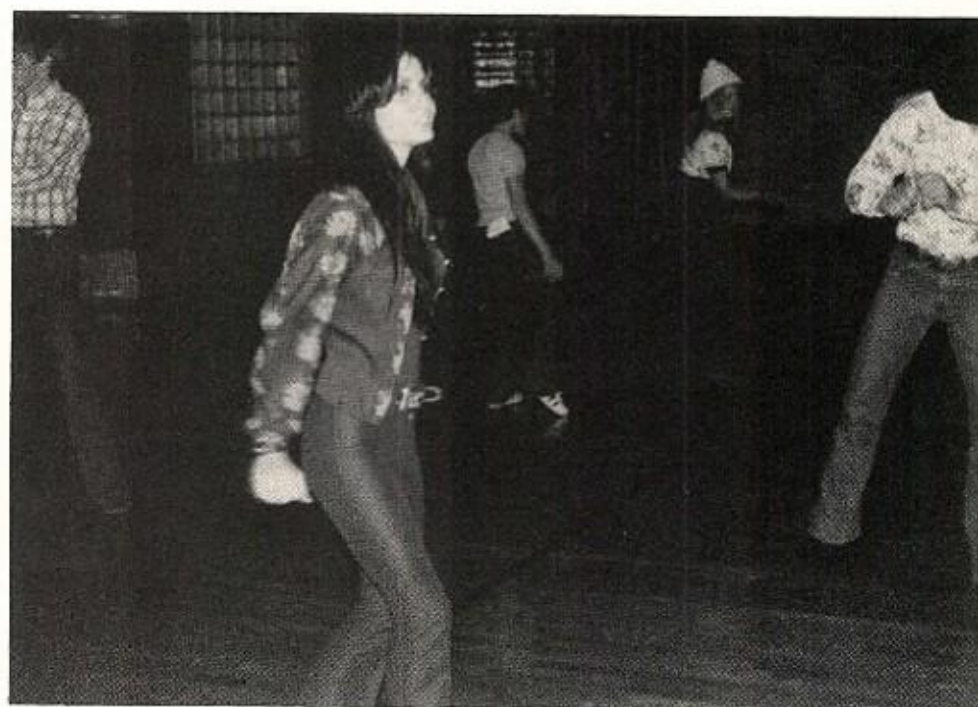


We Stand Together



Harmony is a necessity in every day of school life.
The joy of victory, satisfaction of success in a play,
Joining in the fun of Western Day,
Receiving long awaited honors,
Improving the school, or just enjoying a dance.
These memories form a moment which remains forever
in our minds.





A NEW BEGINNING

For everyone a goal is the chance
for each individual to plan his
own destination,
But this can be achieved only by
preparation.

Each one must realize his own desires,
potential, and personality,
And plan his life by building a
solid foundation as he answers—
Why are we here?

We come to prepare our way in life
By increasing our mental, physical,
and emotional status.

With guidance of teachers, friends,
and personal intuition
We take one step closer to the
completion of a private goal—
Destination unknown.





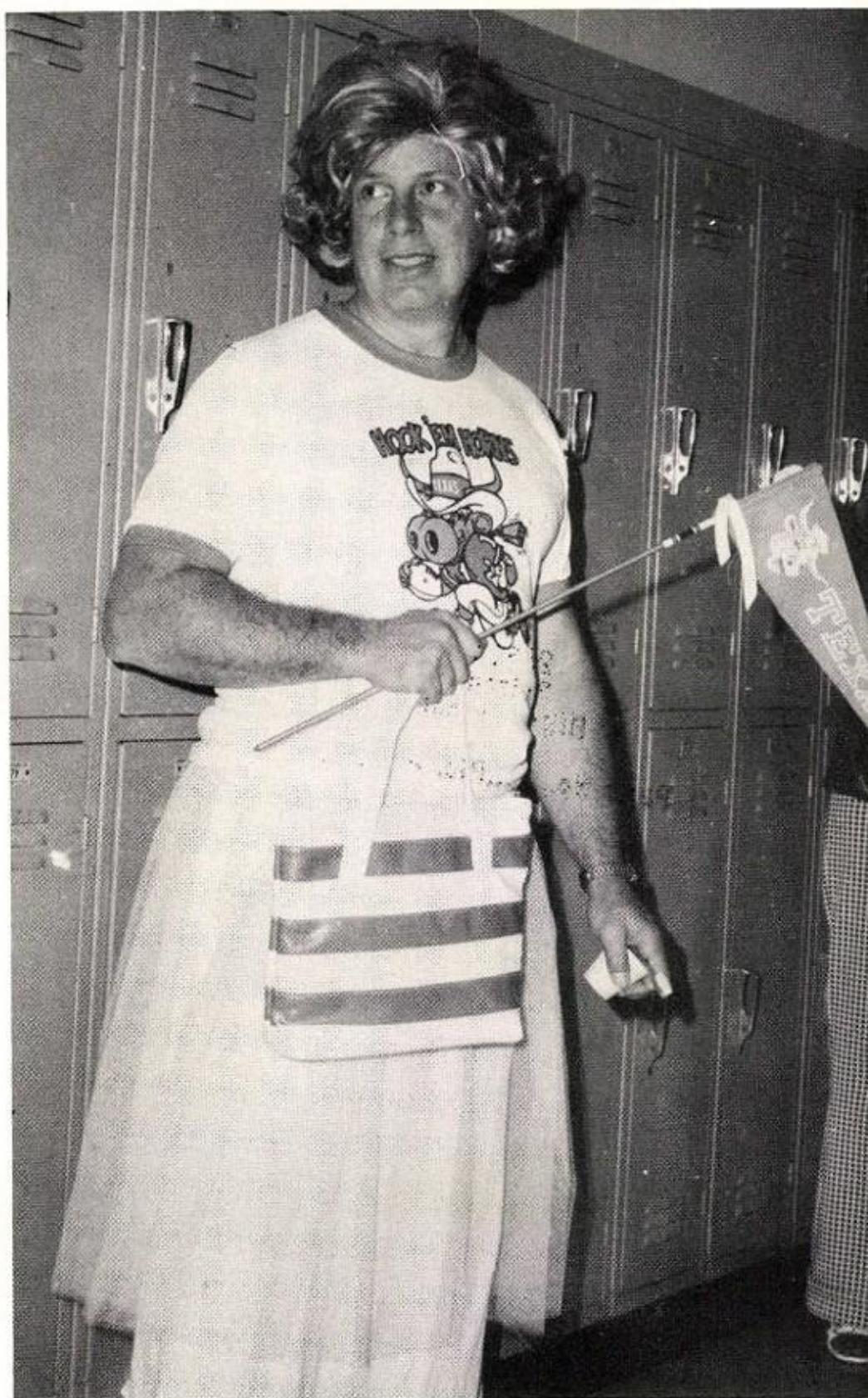
Memories

The laughter shared,
The honors won, and
The excitement of greeting each new
experience—
These are the moments which remain
forever.

The joy of success,
The warmth of spring, and
The thought of graduation just around
the corner—
Memories which never fade . . .



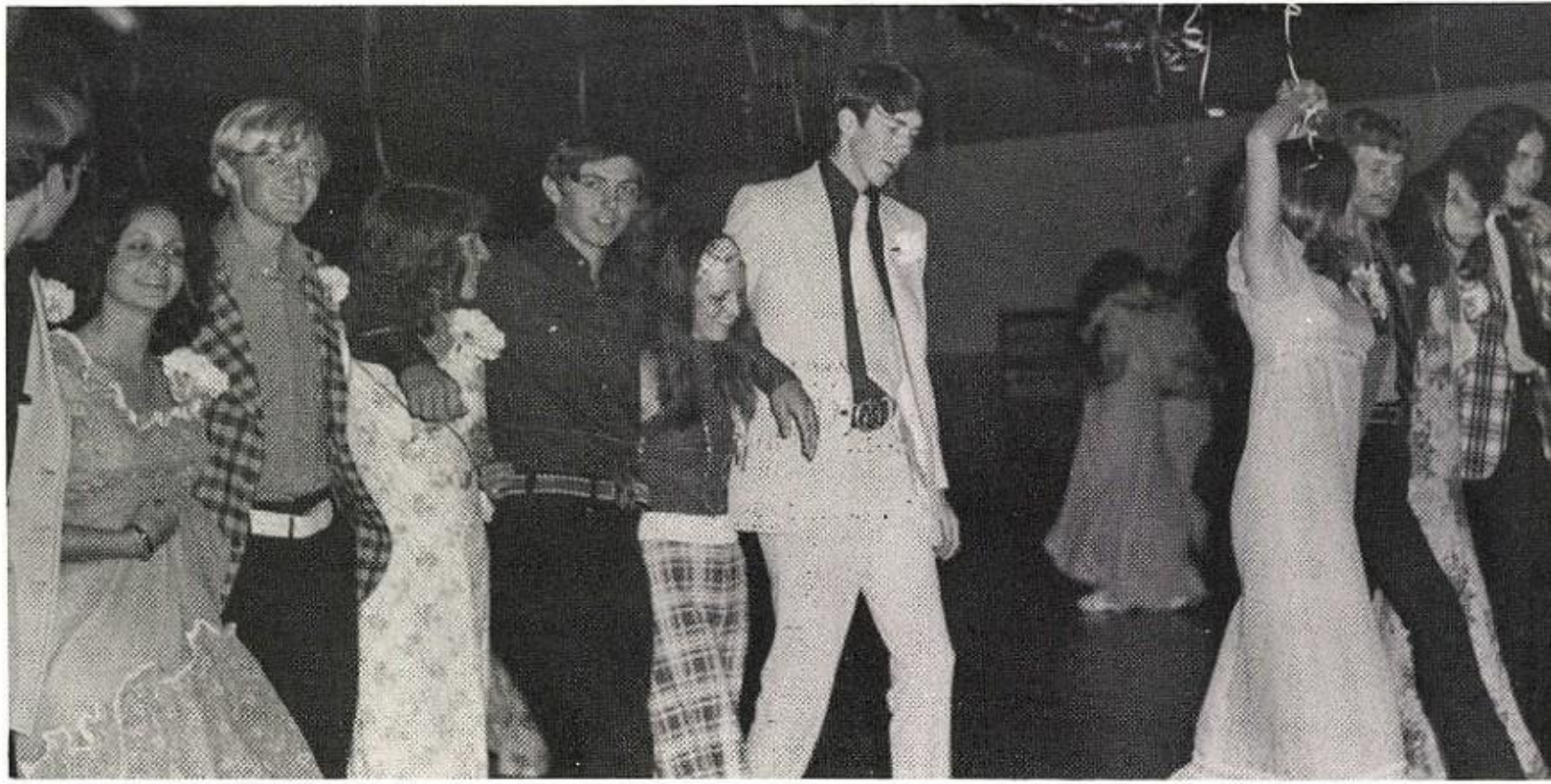
The pleasure of entertaining fellow students,
The laughter inspired by slave day,
A moment spun from joy . . .





The pleasure of being honored by your fellow students,
The self-satisfaction in the Buccaneer Day Band Festival,
And the anticipation of a banquet celebration,
These thoughts live within our minds.

Senior Festivities



This year's senior dance was held at the Academy SPJST hall.

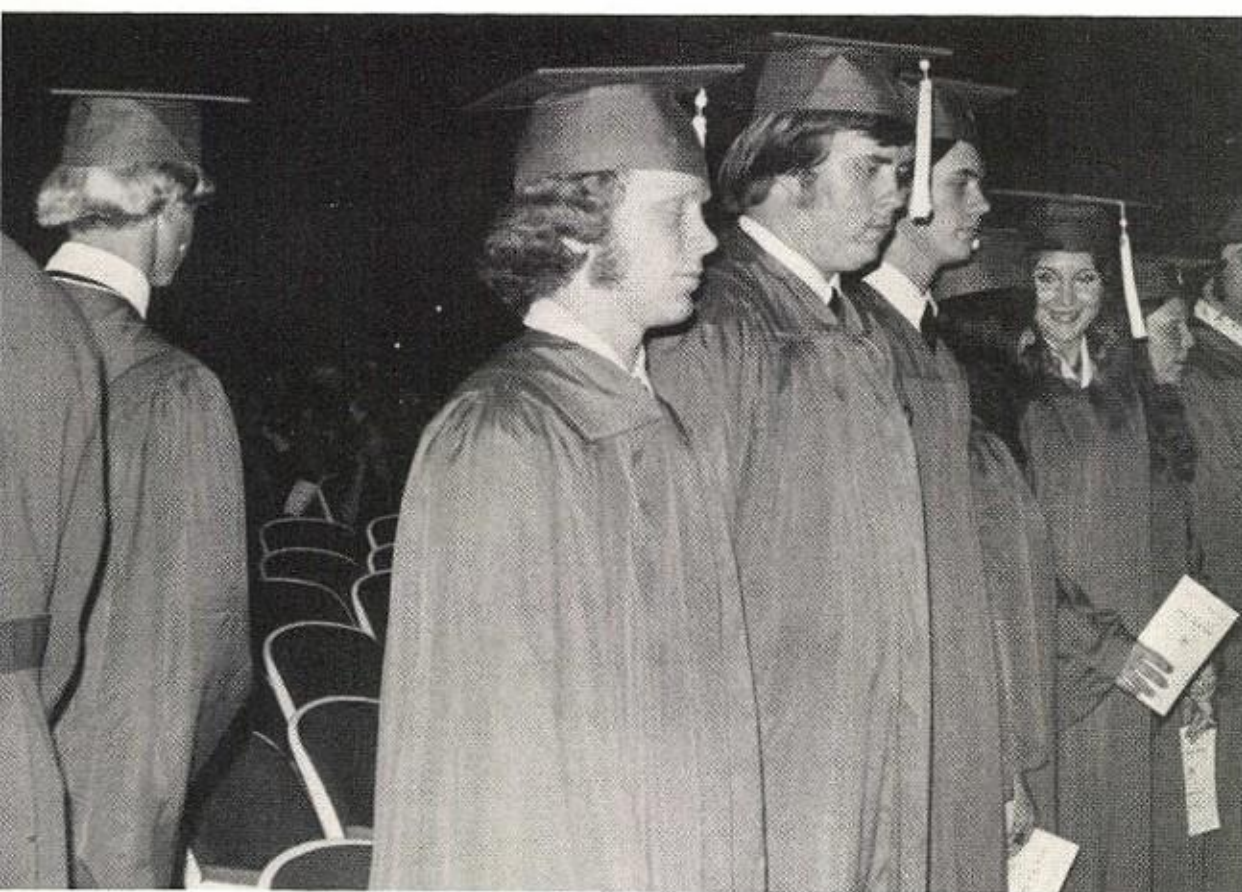
The seniors sang the school song at the closing of the banquet.

Ricky Robinson sang the class song "The Way We Were."

Ted Williams, Class President, presided at the head table.



Baccalaureate



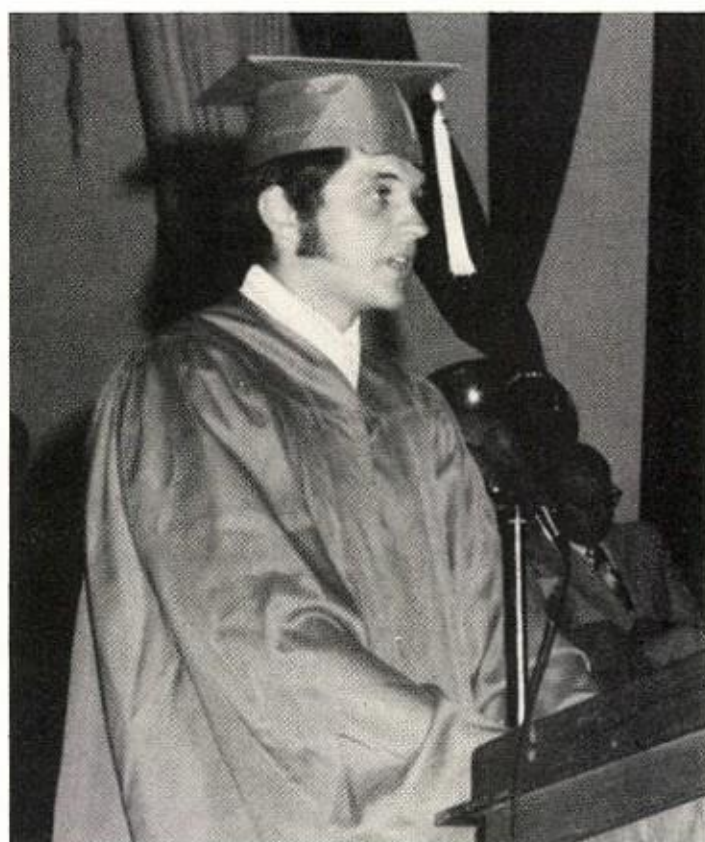
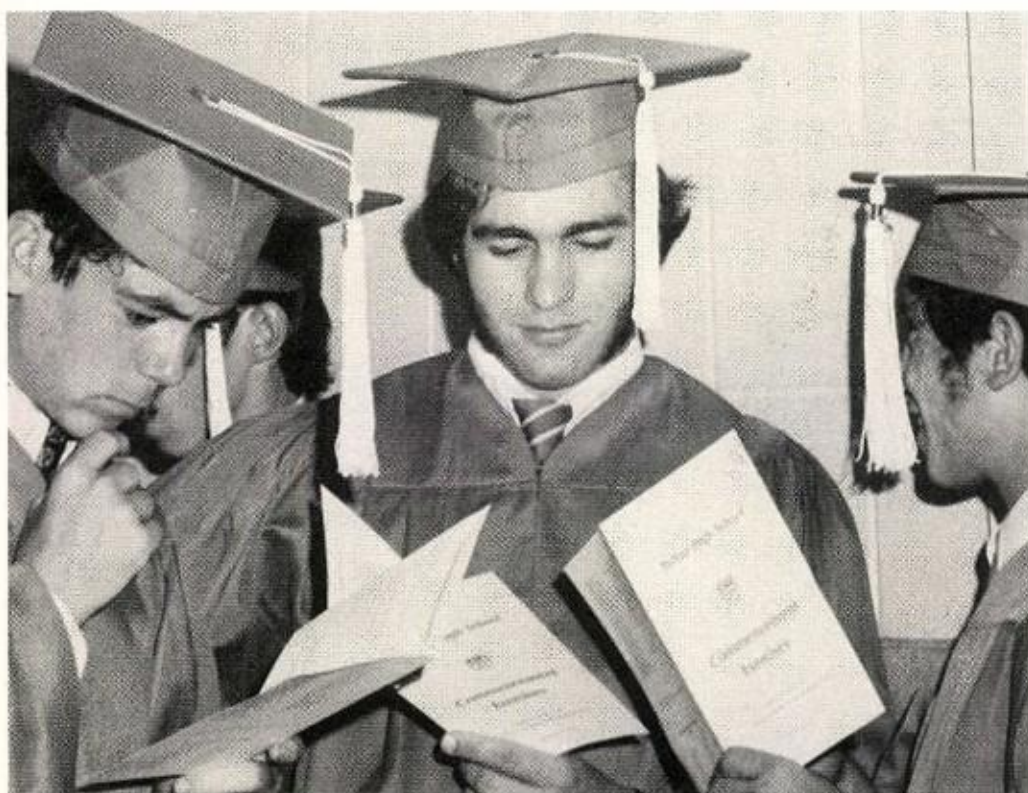
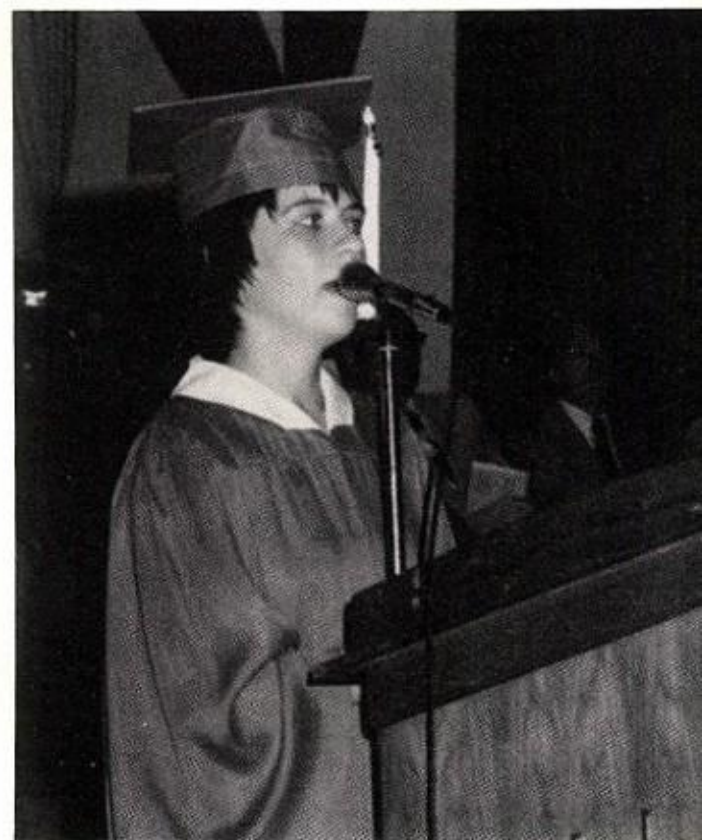
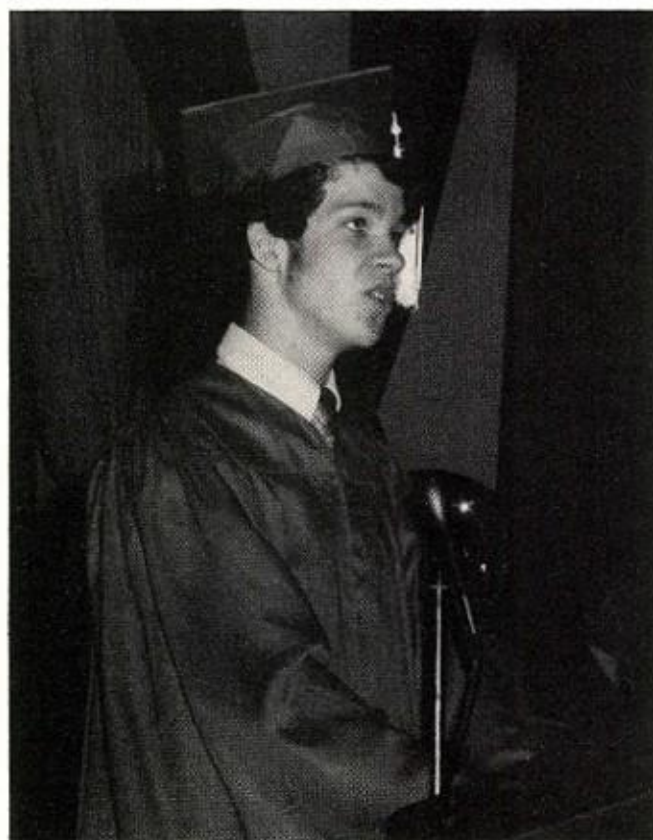
Baccalaureate took place in the auditorium on May 25, 1975, and it was beautiful outside.

Students patiently wait as the rest of the class files in.

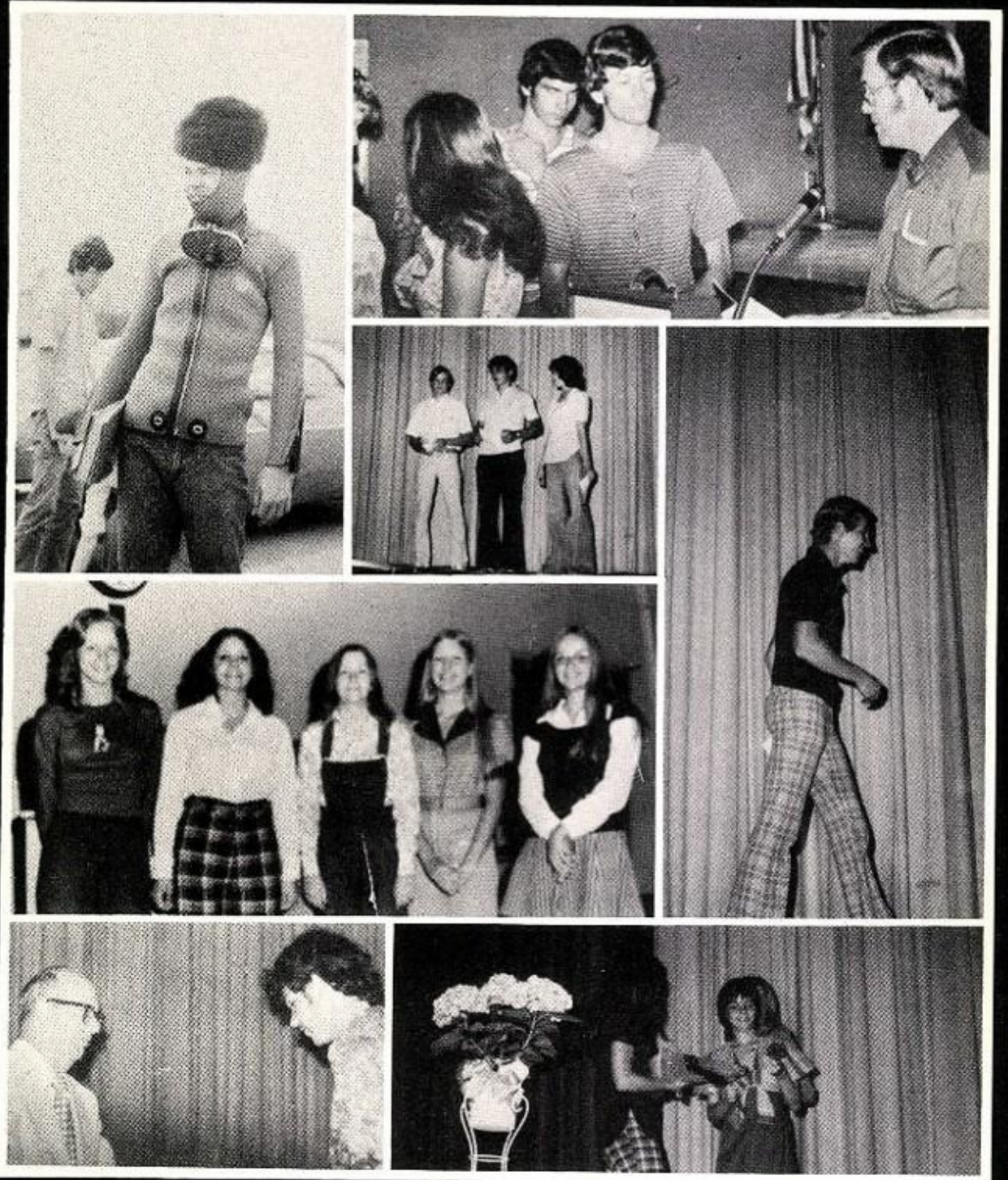
Beth Tippit wears her cap and gown proudly.

The speaker for baccalaureate was Joe Baisden, Belton Church of Christ minister.

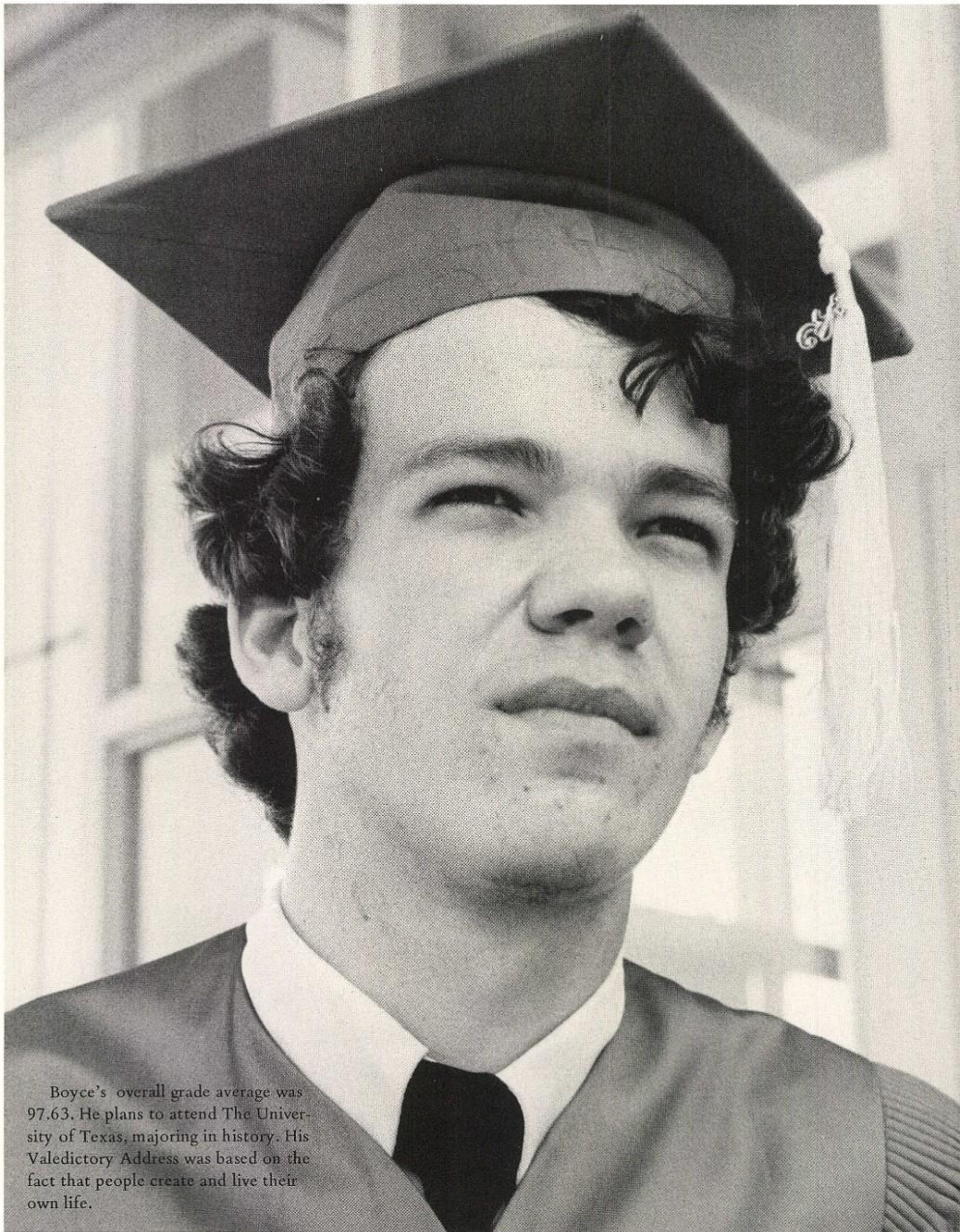
COMMENCEMENT



FAVORITES . . . THOSE WHO STAND OUT



VALEDICTORIAN—BOYCE CABANISS



Boyce's overall grade average was 97.63. He plans to attend The University of Texas, majoring in history. His Valedictory Address was based on the fact that people create and live their own life.

SALUTATORIAN—DANA FLOYD



Dana's overall average was 96.58. She plans to attend Temple Junior College majoring in business. The theme of her Salutatory Address was to please oneself as well as others.

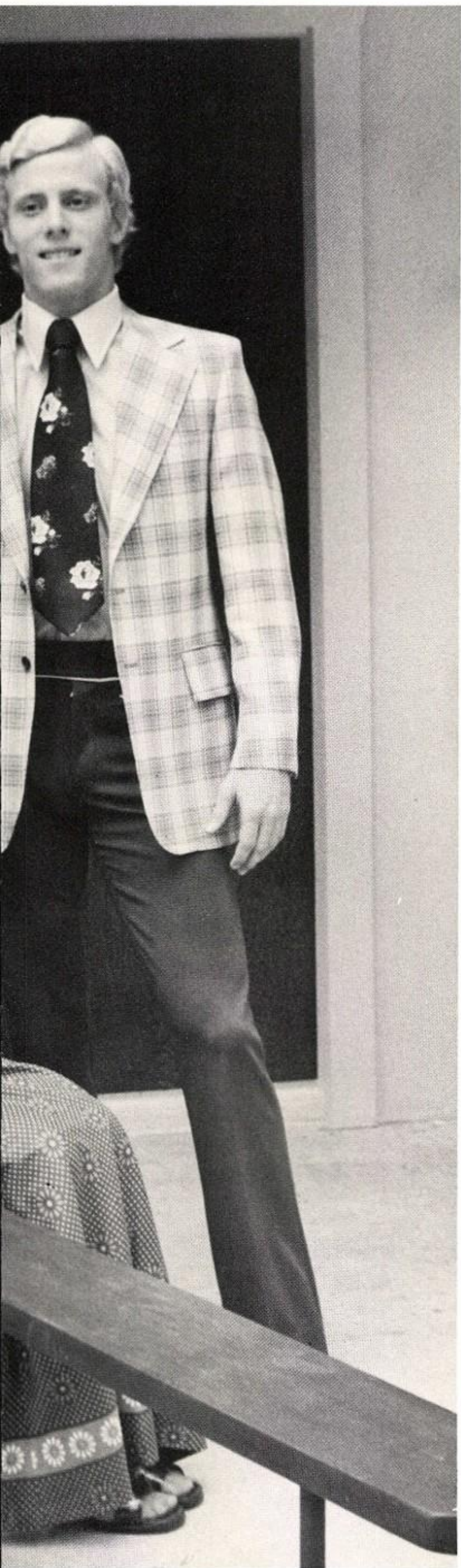


MISS B.H.S.

LAURIE STEWART

Laurie's face has been seen at every sport spectacular of Belton High. Laurie has been a cheerleader for four years and served as head cheerleader her senior year. She was a member of the Student Council, FHA, Honor Society, and a two year member of the band. Laurie was voted as the 1974 Football Sweetheart and was a Homecoming nominee. These honors as well as her warm smile makes her deserving of the title of Miss B.H.S.





MR. B.H.S.

BRYAN HARGROVE

Bryan has been known as an outstanding athlete throughout his years at Belton High School. He has been a three-year member of the varsity football team as well as the track team. He was honored his senior year as a member of the "All Zone" and "All Cen-Tex" teams and received the Coach's Award. He advanced to Regional competition in track both his junior and senior year and placed third in the State Mile Relay his junior year. Bryan's winning personality and smile as well as his athletic ability makes him a fine choice for Mr. B.H.S.



OUTSTANDING



DANA FLOYD

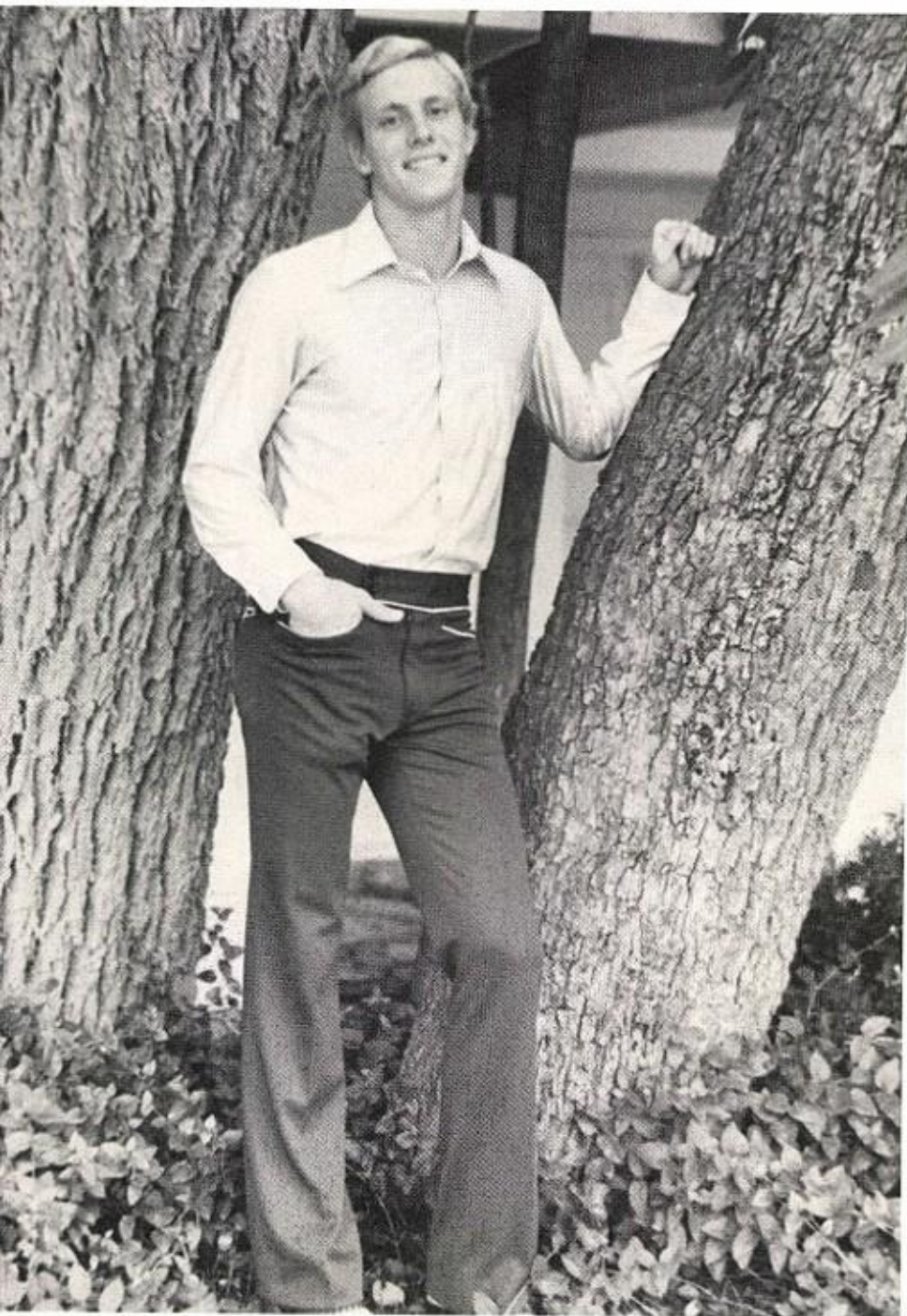
Dana has been a member of the "Marching 100" for three years and served as secretary her senior year. She has been a member of the National Honor Society for three years. She became LAIR editor after serving on the staff for a year. Dana was the student director of the senior play. She was voted Outstanding Junior and was a Girls State Alternate. During her junior year she received the English Departmental Award and the American Heritage Achievement Award. The 1974 Optimist Club voted her as the Outstanding Belton High Girl. Dana placed fourth in U.I.L. shorthand her senior year and is Salutatorian of her class.

RONALD LASTOVICA

Ronald has been a member of the football team as well as the band for three years. He has been a three-year member of the Latin Club, and served as Club President and Caesar his senior year. Ronald has been a member of the National Honor Society for three years and was President his senior year. He was voted "Most Likely to Succeed" and the 1974 Optimist Club voted him Outstanding Belton High Boy. He has been a member of the 4-H for nine years and is the Boy's Vice-Chairman of the Texas 4-H Council.



SENIORS



BRYAN HARGROVE

Bryan has been a member of the varsity football team for three years. He was honored his senior year as a member of the "All Zone" and "All Cen-Tex" teams as both split end and defensive halfback. Bryan also won the Coach's Award. He was a three year letterman in track. He placed first in the Mile Relay in regional competition his junior year and third in state. Bryan was voted "Best All Around" his sophomore year, Class Officer his junior year, and Mr. B.H.S. his senior year.

TERESA ALBRIGHT

Teresa has been a member of the National Honor Society for three years and was Vice-President her senior year. She has been a member of the "Marching 100" for three years. Teresa was a class officer, member of the Student Council, and a class favorite for both her freshman and sophomore year. Teresa is a member of the Junior Historians, Future Teachers of America, Drama Club, International Thespian Society, and Spanish Club. She was chosen as the Spanish Club Seniorita her senior year. Teresa was FFA sweetheart and FFA district sweetheart her junior year.



MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

ALANA JONES

RONALD LASTOVICA



OUTSTANDING JUNIORS

RANDY HICKERSON KAY NICHOLS LEWIS BOREN JENNIFER ASH



OUTSTANDING SOPHOMORES

DAVID COUFAL KELLY BROOKS NANCY KIRBY SUE BARTLETT



OUTSTANDING FRESHMEN

STEVE BRUTON ROY SMYTHE GREG OTRUPCAK BRUCE MERCER





TOP TEN

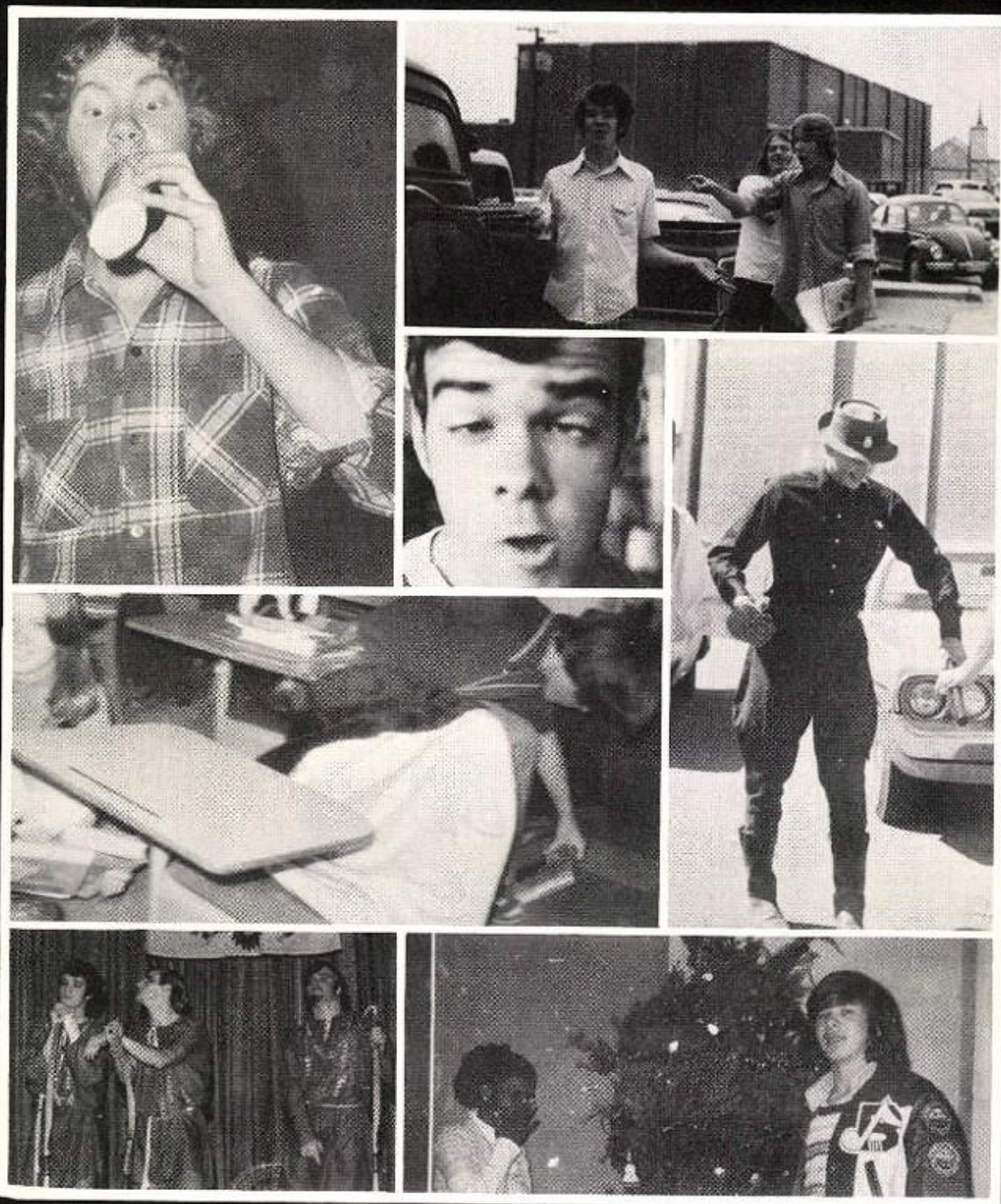
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Dana Floyd	96.58
Debbie Whitmire	95.17
Teresa Albright	95.08
Mary Wilson	94.46
Diane Scott	94.38
Ted Williams	94.09
Kelli Lanphere	93.90
Debbie Bird	93.59
Tracey Sanford	93.49

Tracey Sanford received the Director's Award.

Boyce Cabaniss was honored with many awards, including a valedictory plaque and a silver cup for being an outstanding math student.



CLASSES . . . WHY WERE WE HERE?



SENIOR REFLECTIONS

SONG

Mem'ries light the corners of my mind.
Misty water color mem'ries of the way we were.

Scattered pictures of the smiles we left behind,
Smiles we gave to one another for the way we were.

Can it be that it was all so simple then,
Or has time rewritten every line?
If we had the chance to do it all again,
Tell me would we? Could we?

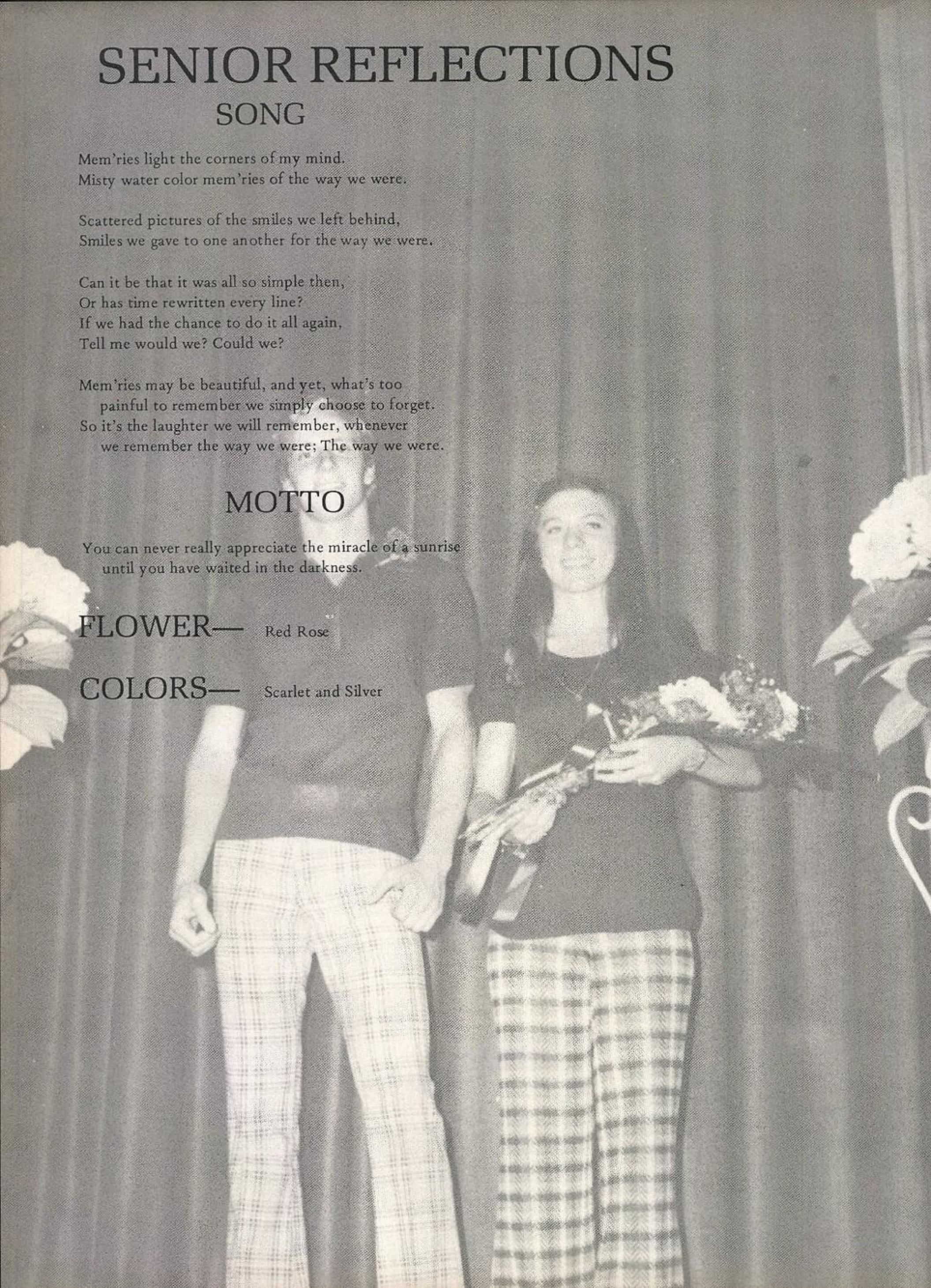
Mem'ries may be beautiful, and yet, what's too
painful to remember we simply choose to forget.
So it's the laughter we will remember, whenever
we remember the way we were; The way we were.

MOTTO

You can never really appreciate the miracle of a sunrise
until you have waited in the darkness.

FLOWER— Red Rose

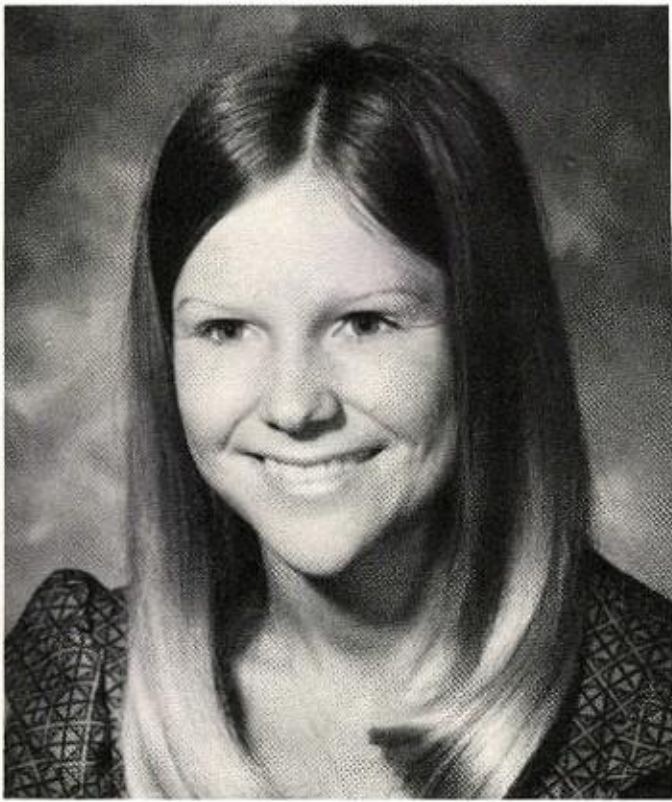
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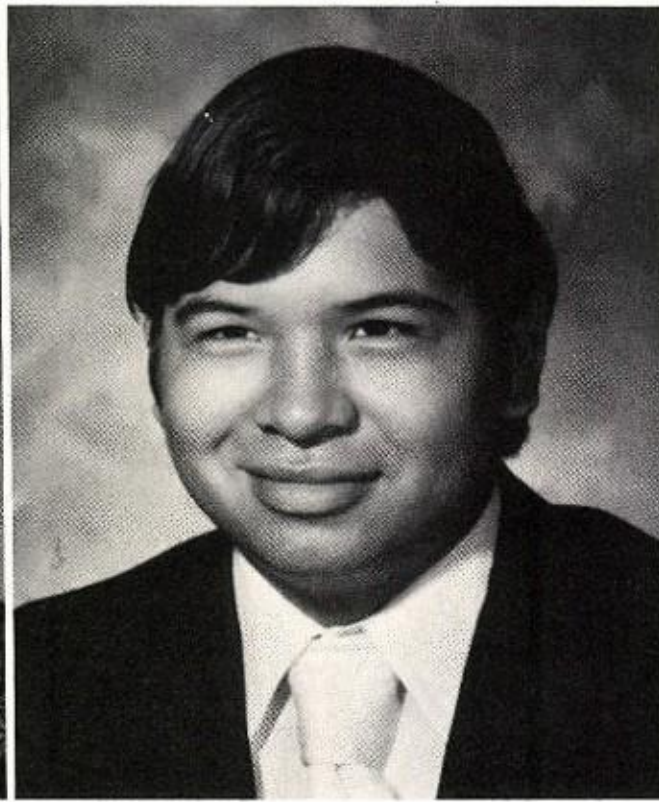
SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Randy Shiplett, Treasurer; Ted Williams, President; Jay Warrick, Vice-President; Cindy McDonald, Parliamentarian; Lucinda Ludwick, Secretary.

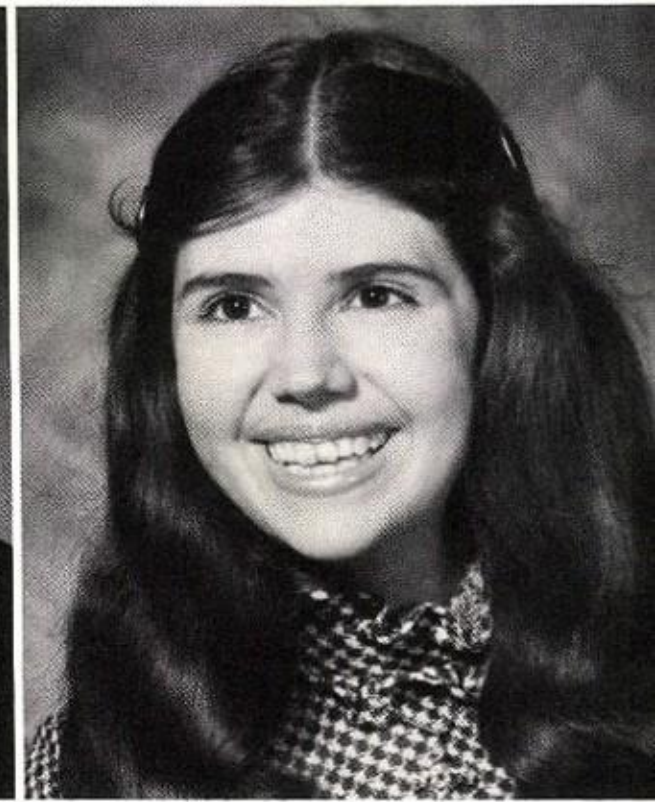




Teresa Albright

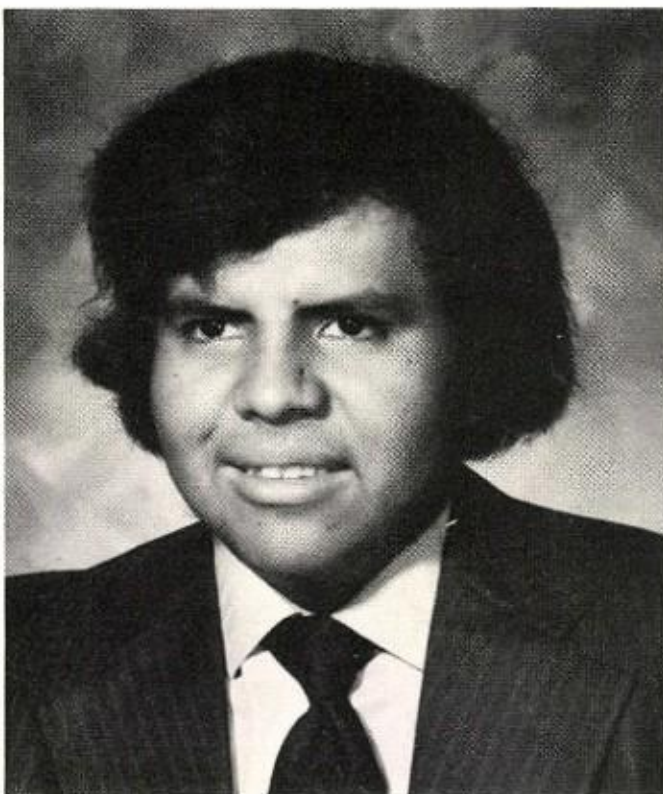


Raymond Alcozer



Sheryl Alexander

VOE student Debbie Northcutt looks on at a candlelight Christmas tea given for the faculty of BHS.



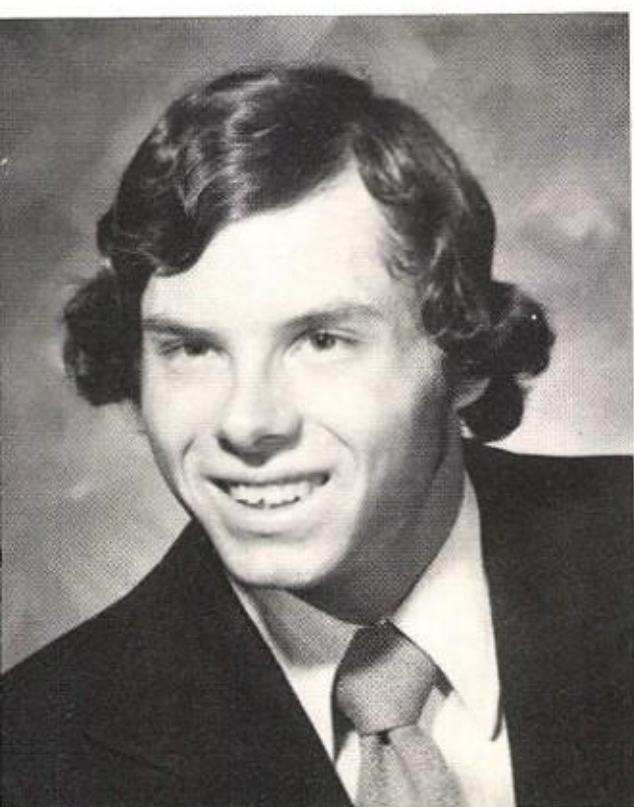
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Ronald Bailey



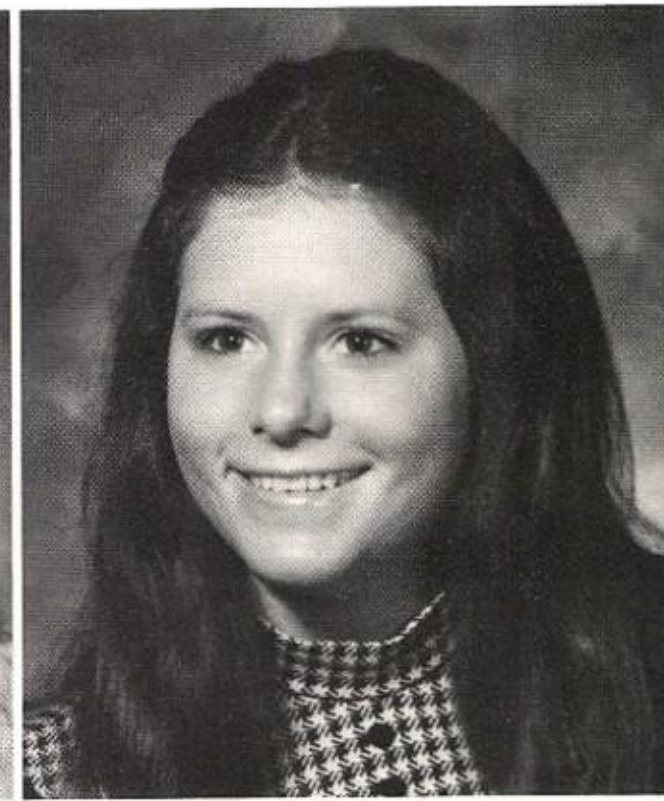
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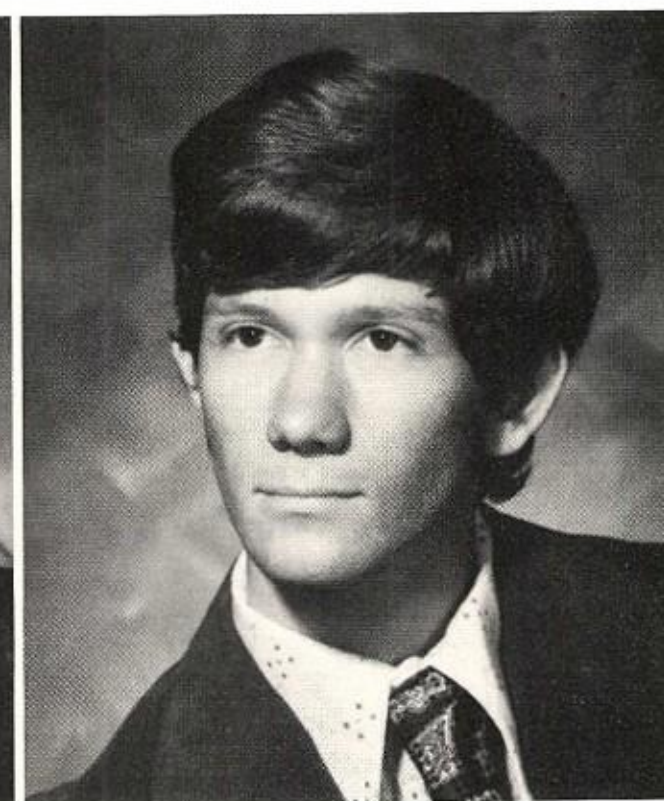
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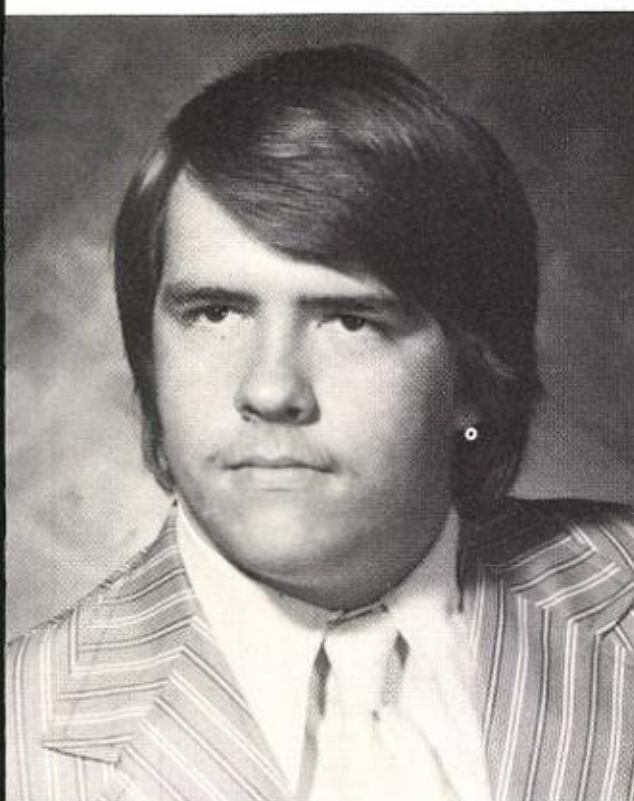
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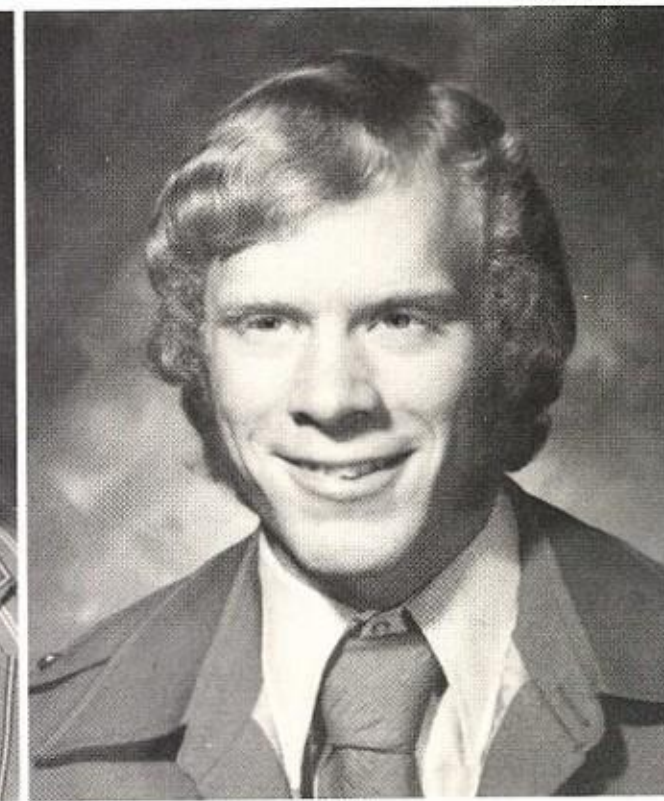
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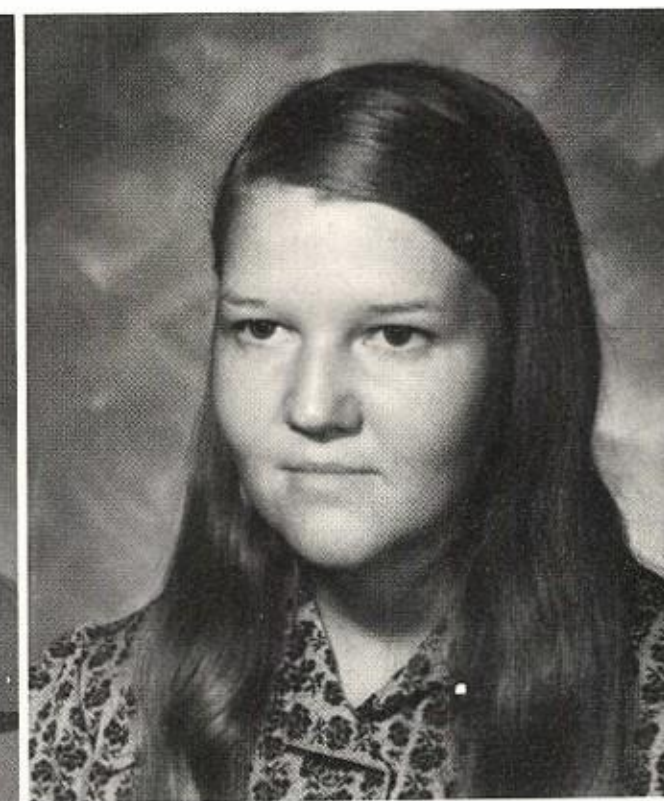
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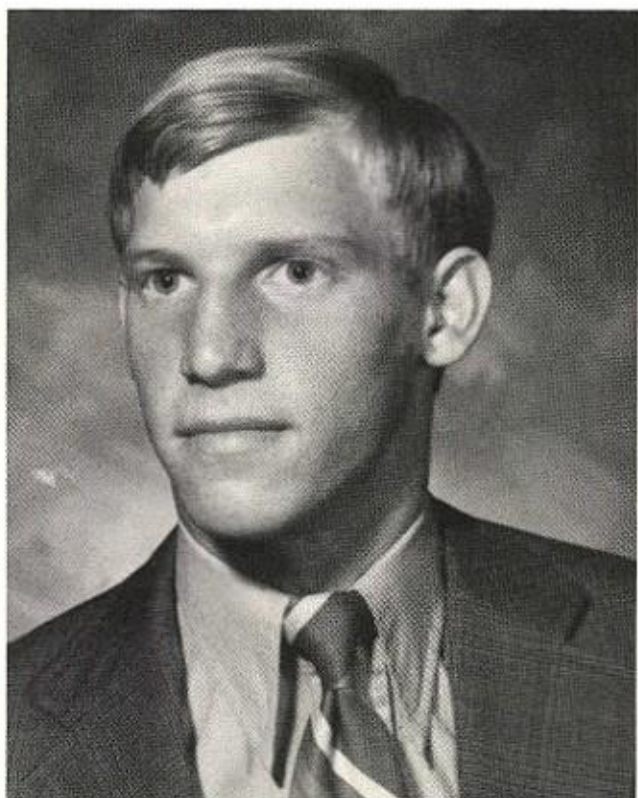
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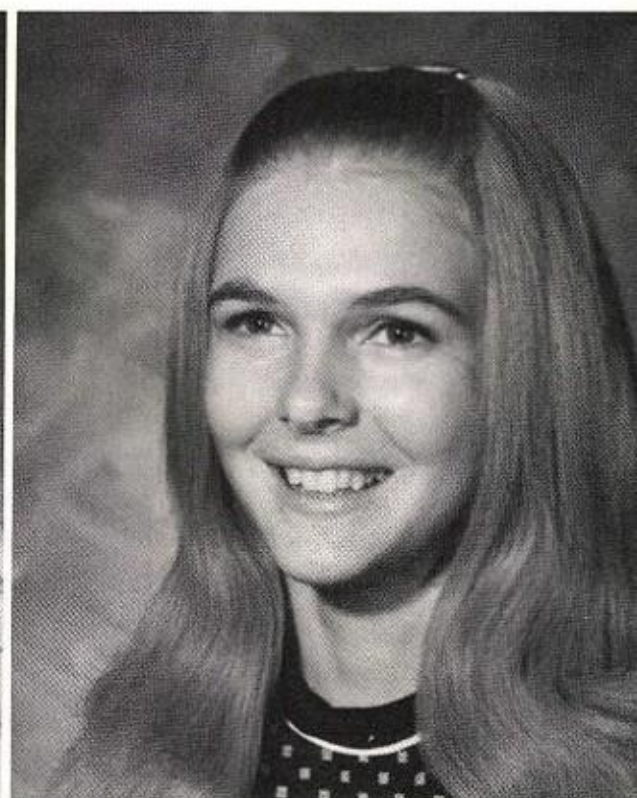
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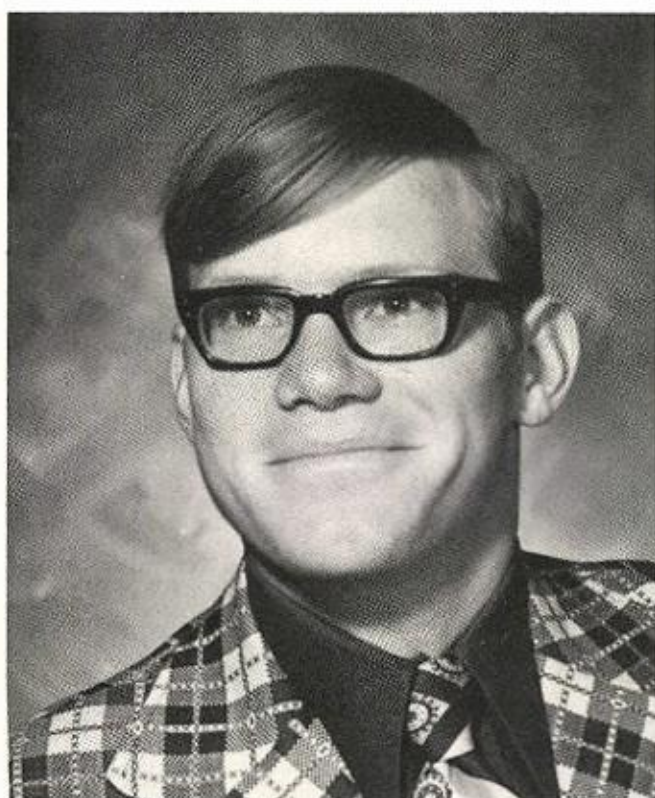
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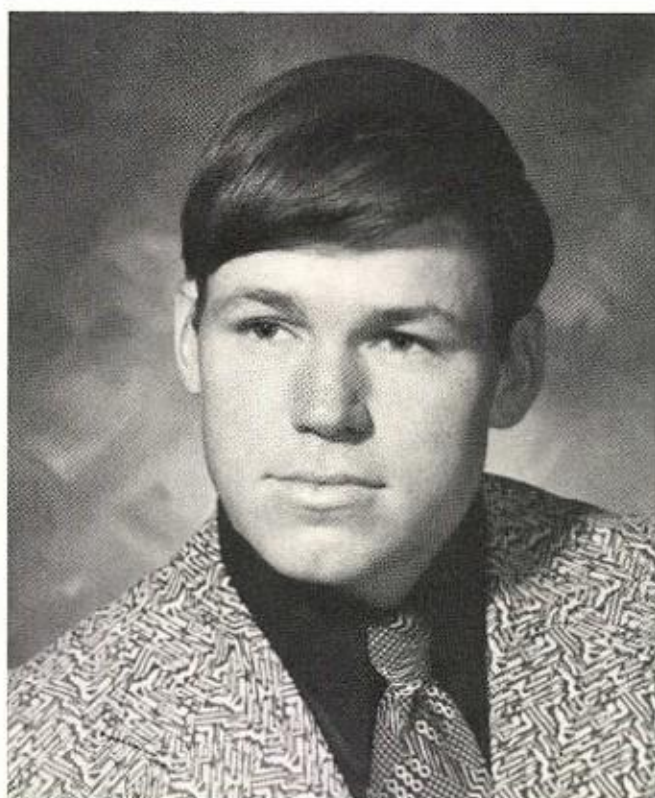
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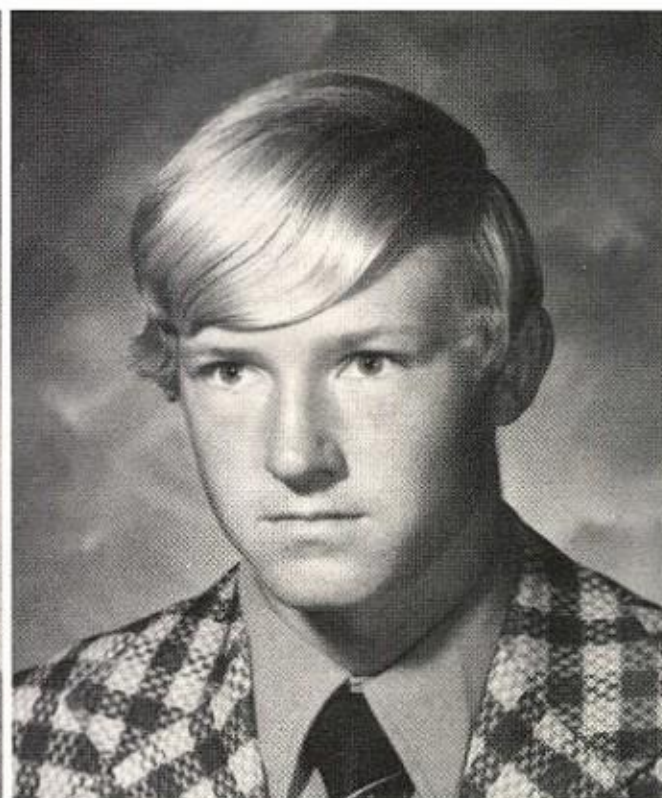
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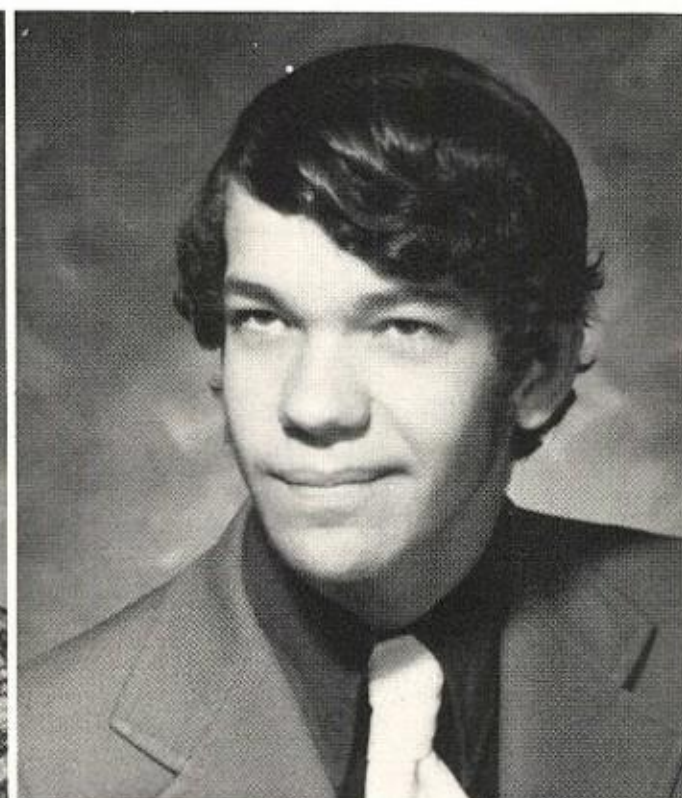
Rex (Pig) Melvin and Lisa Sanders return to the nostalgia of the 1950's.



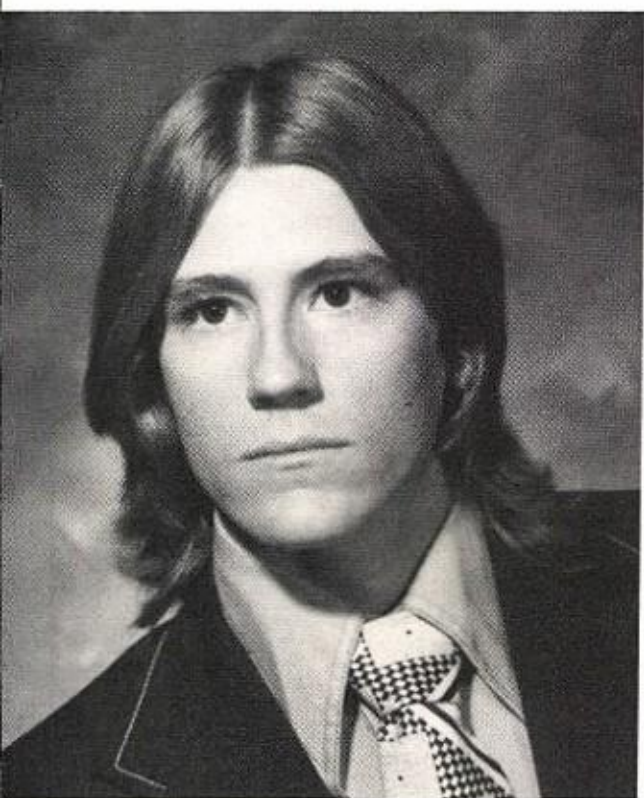
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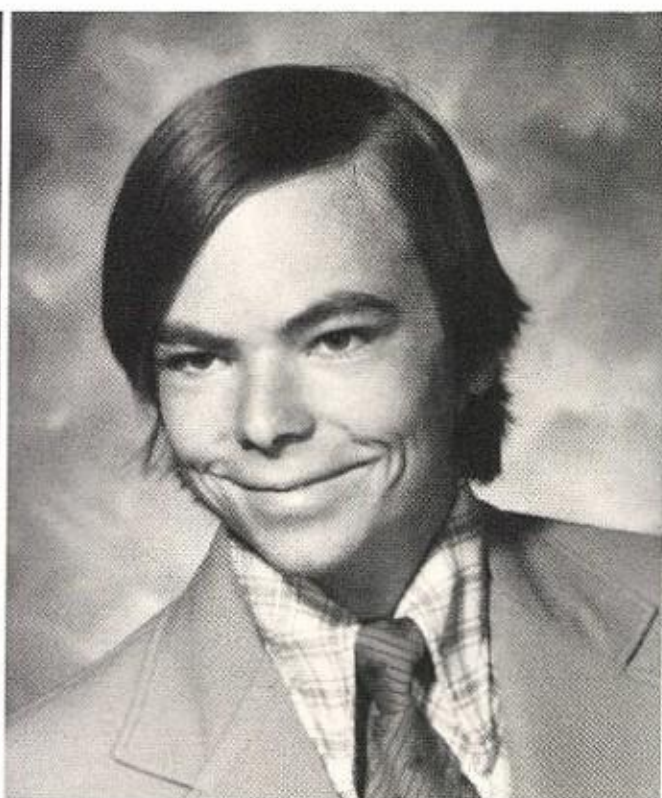
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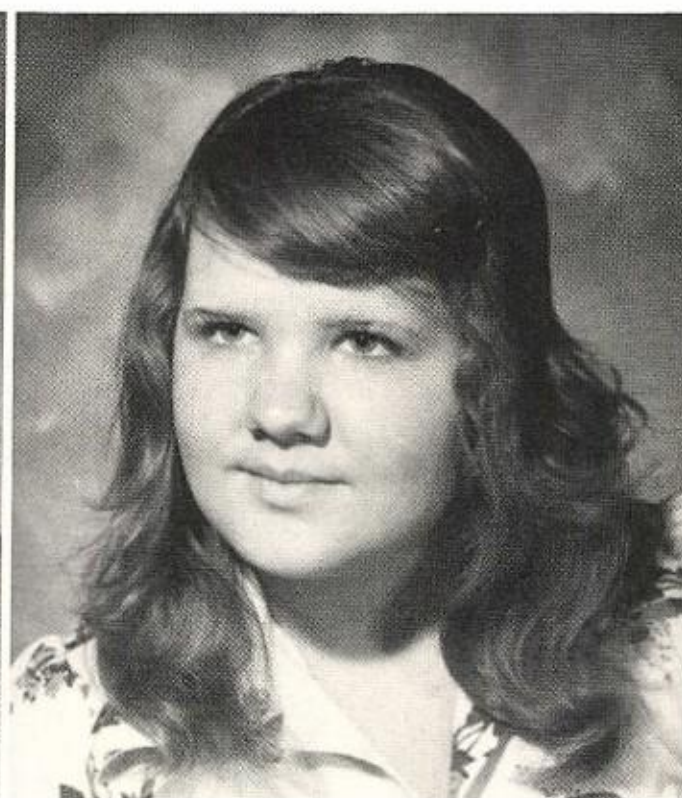
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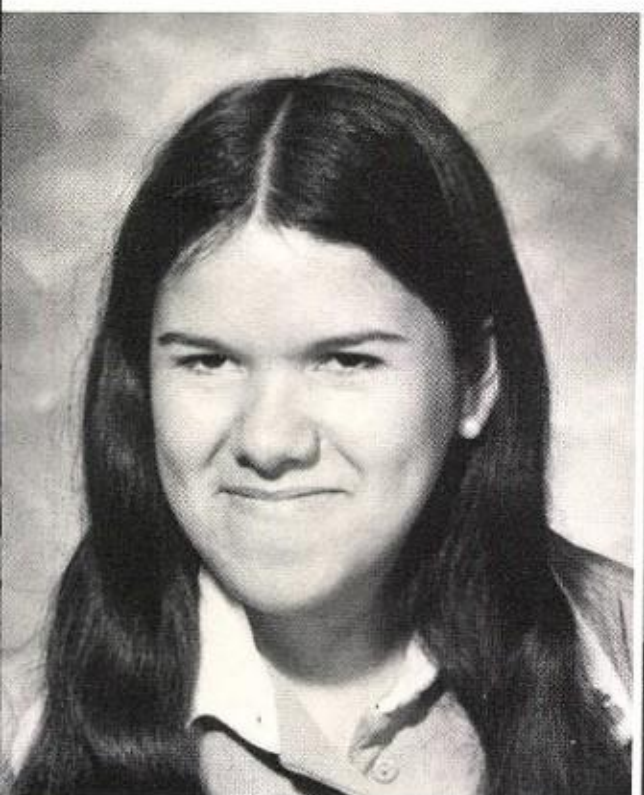
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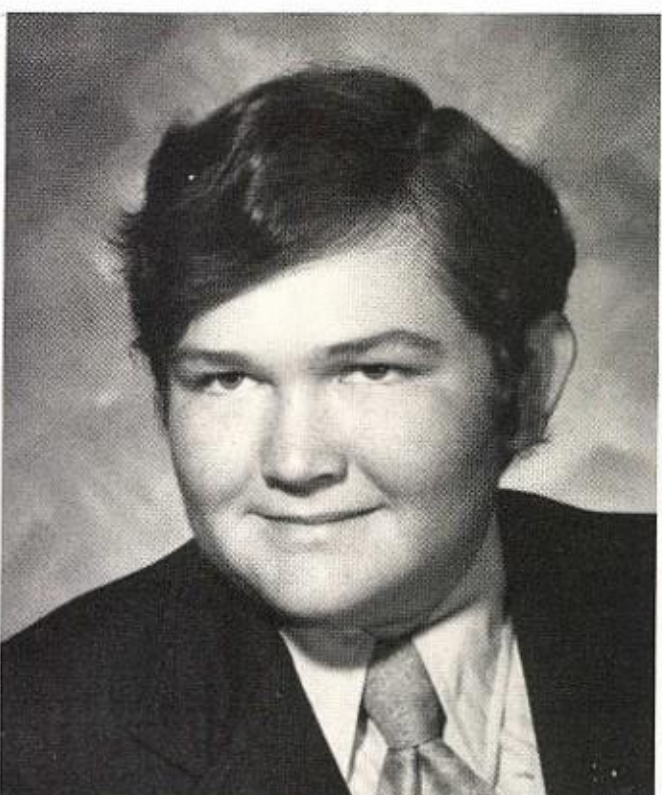
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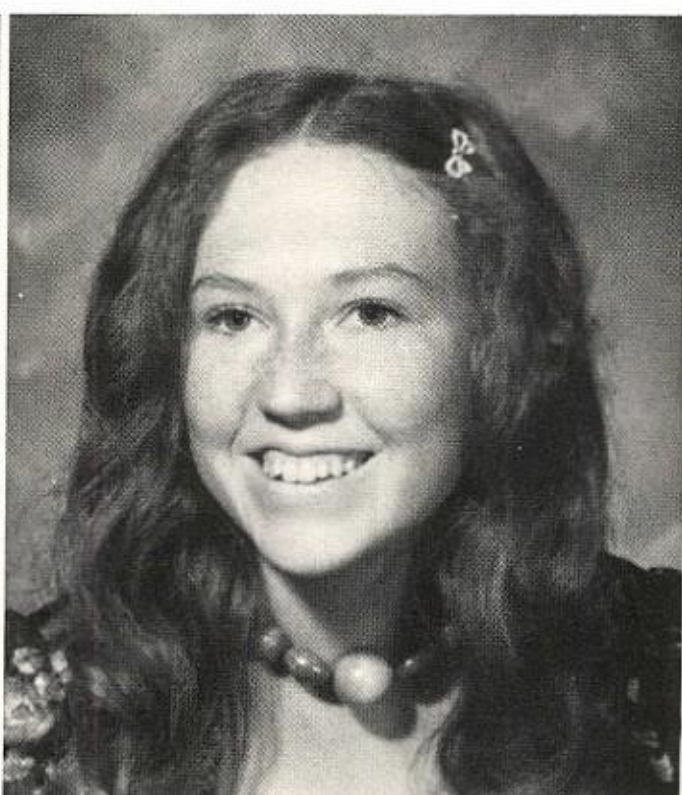
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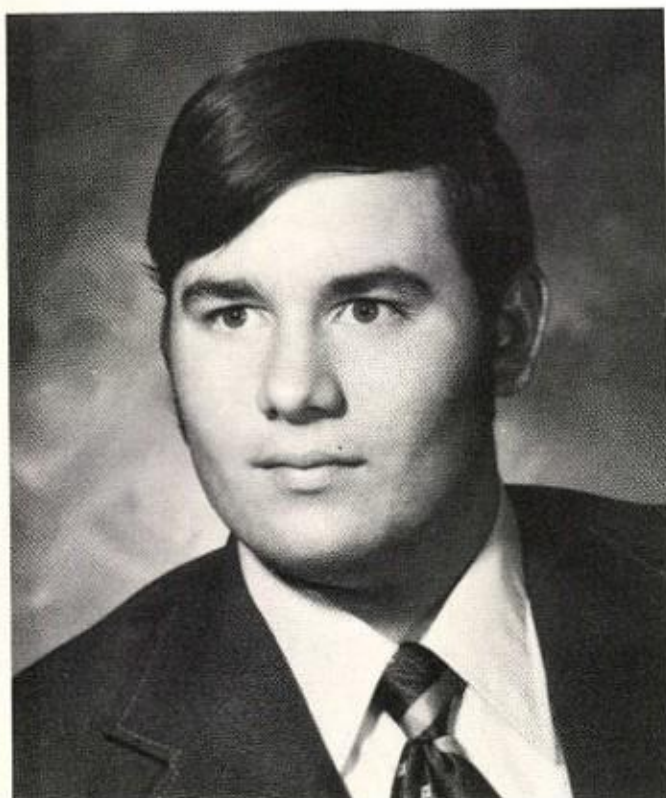
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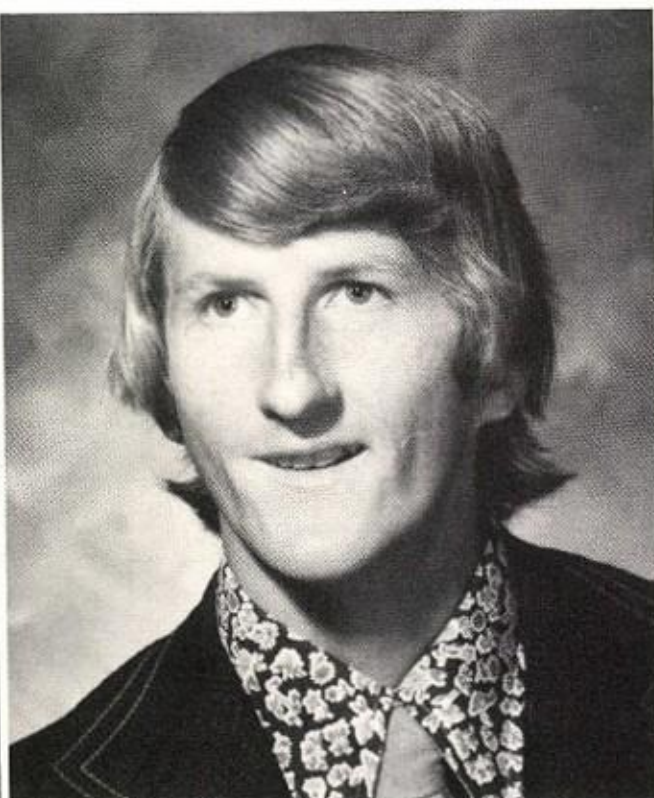
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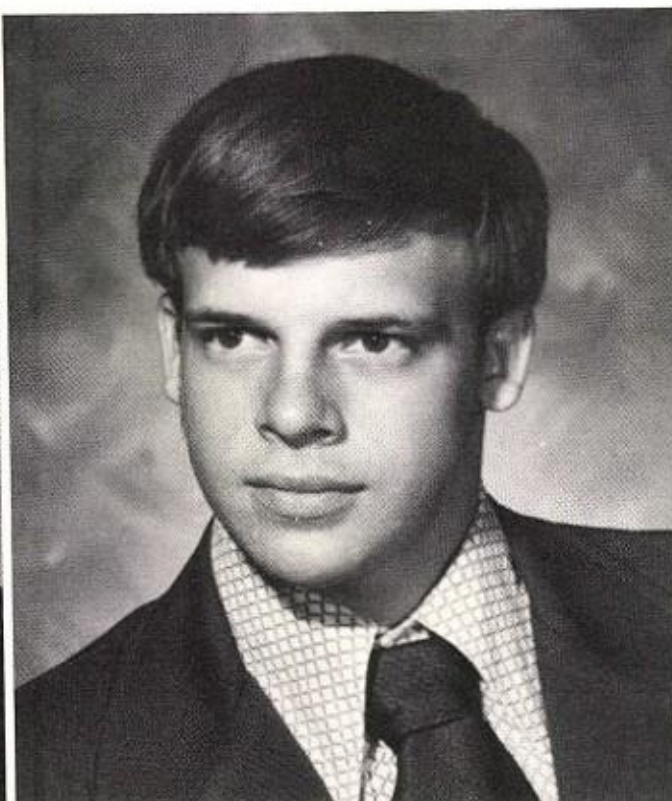
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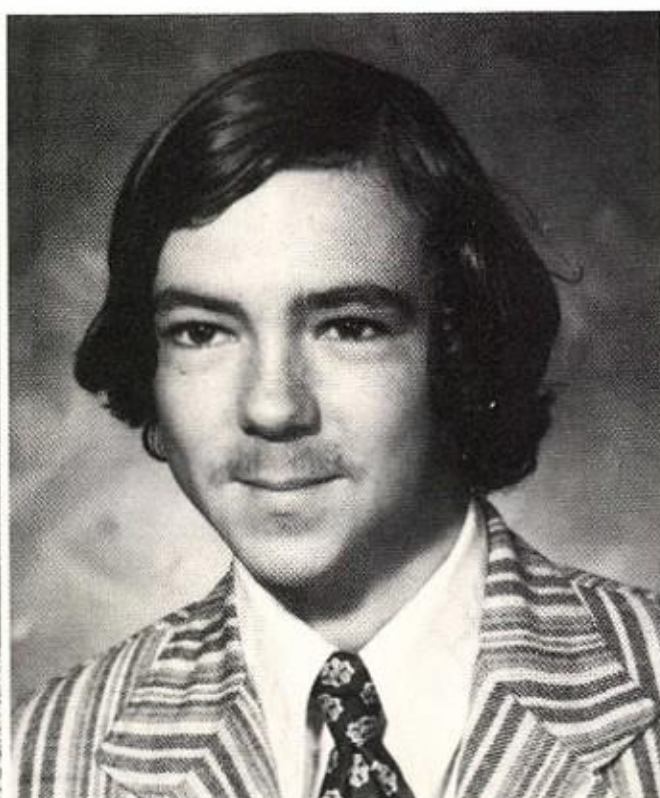
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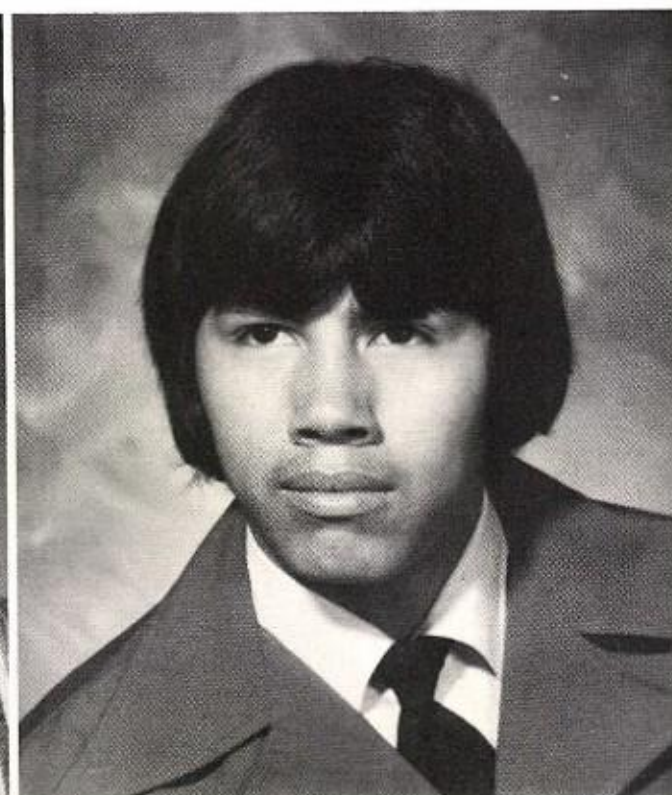
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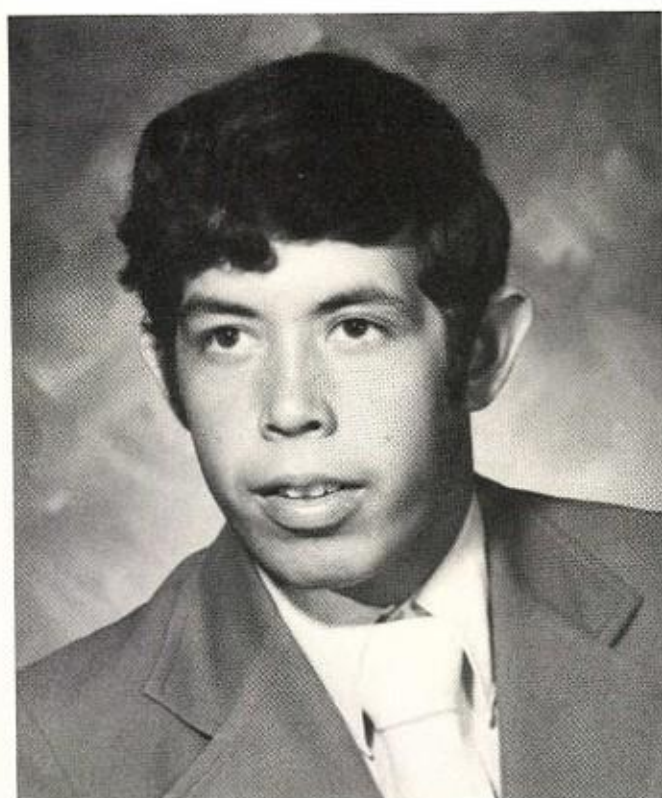
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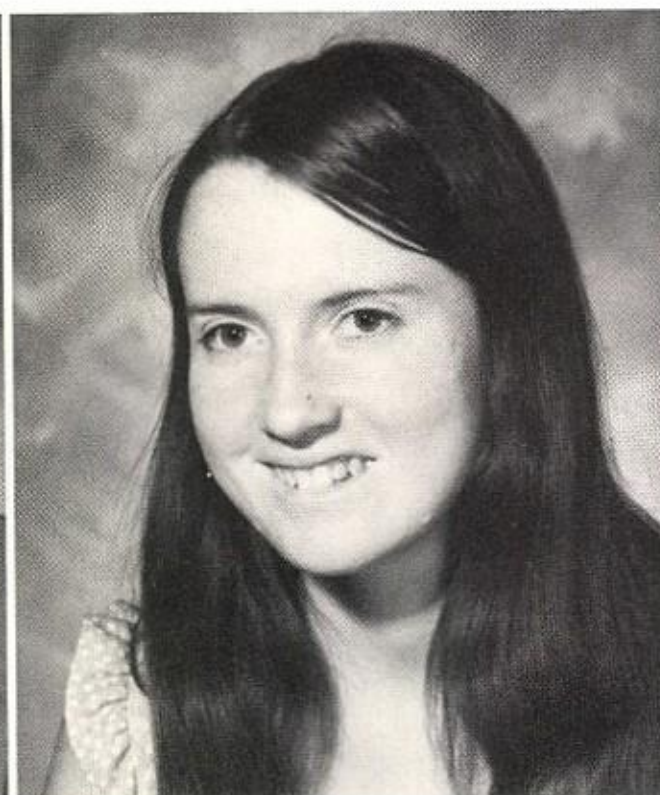
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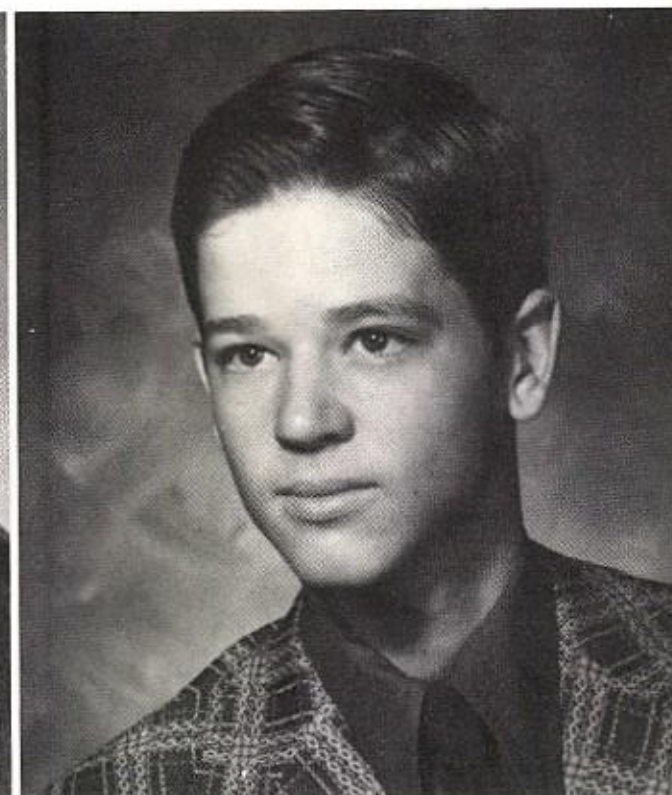
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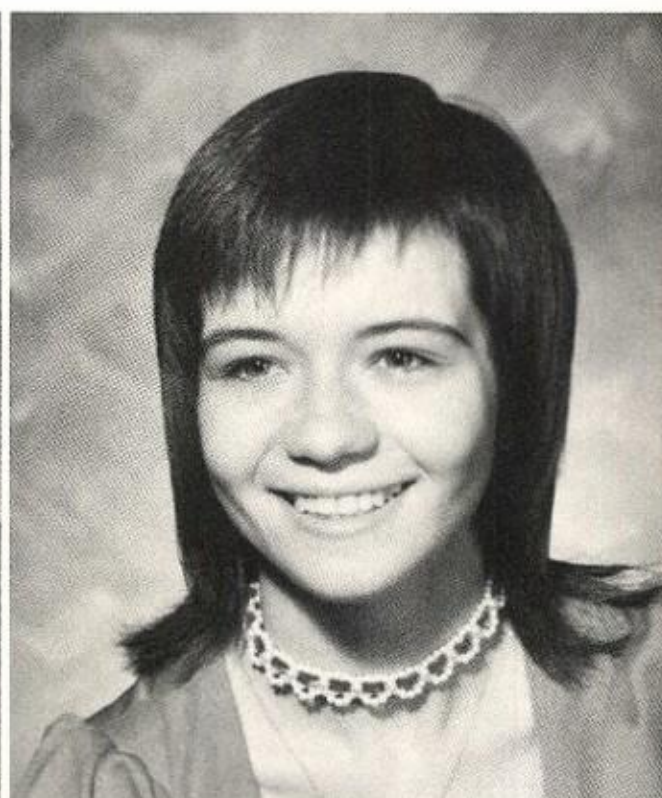
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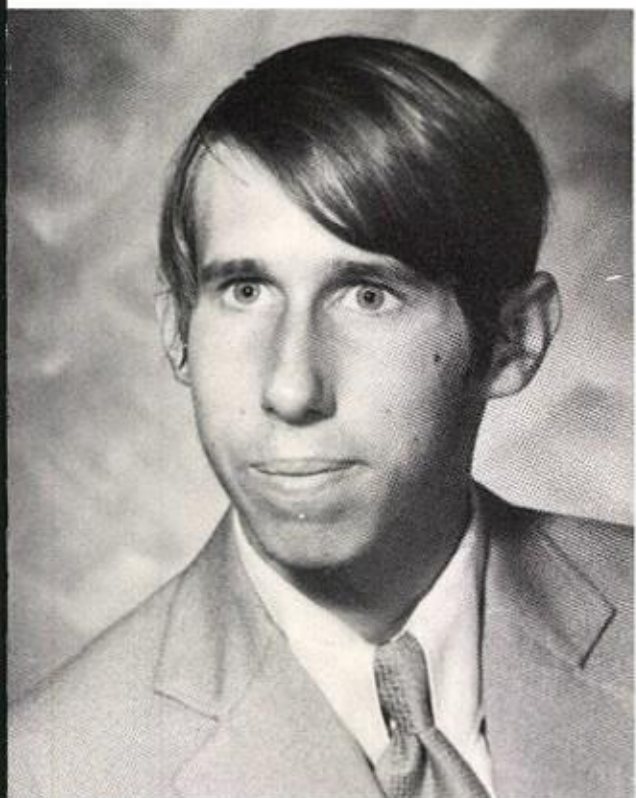
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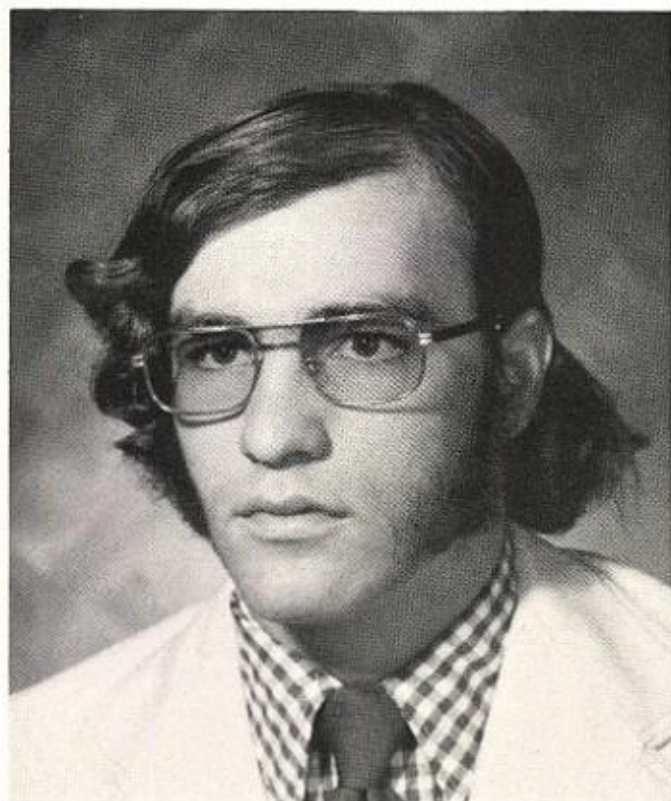
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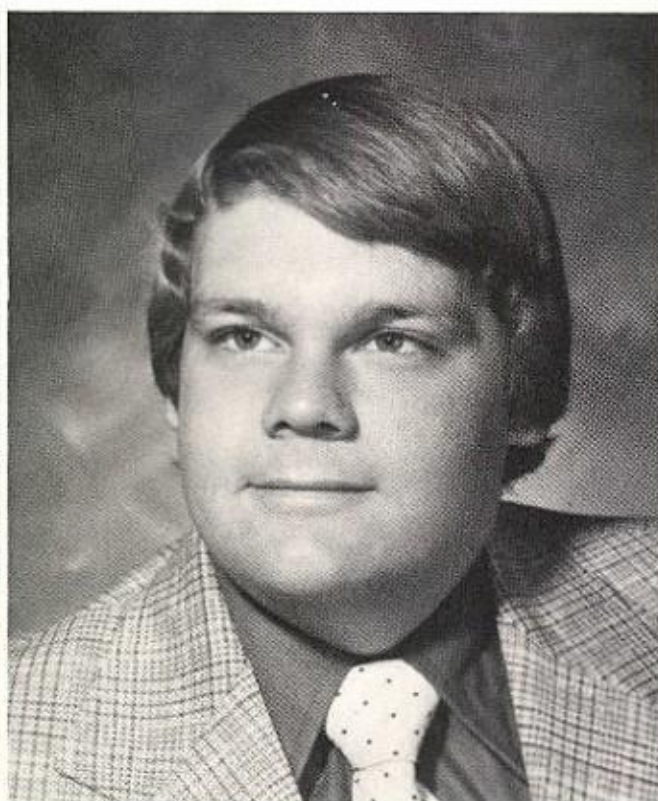
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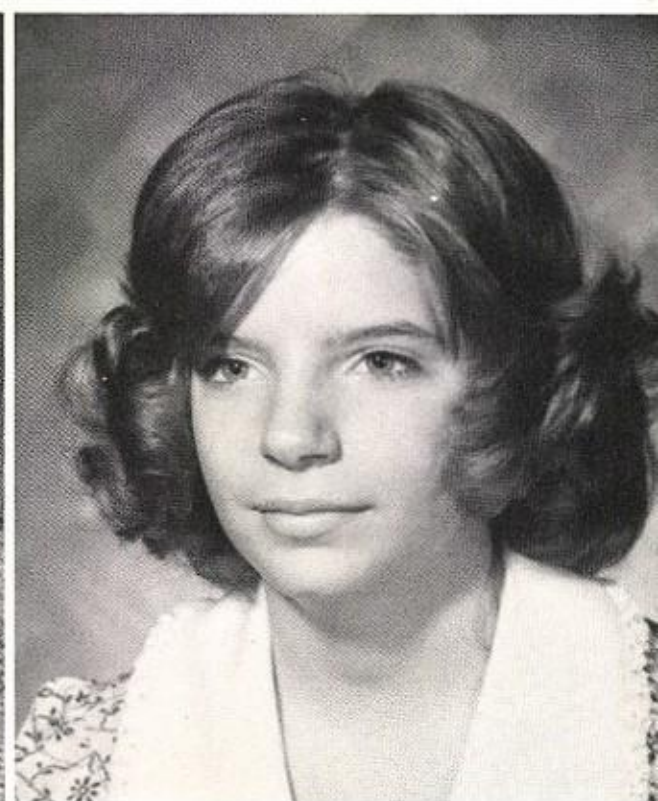
Even though the weather was inappropriate, the Big Red Tigers found time to sing Christmas carols and spread the Christmas spirit. They sang in the halls between third and fourth periods.



Bob Garwood



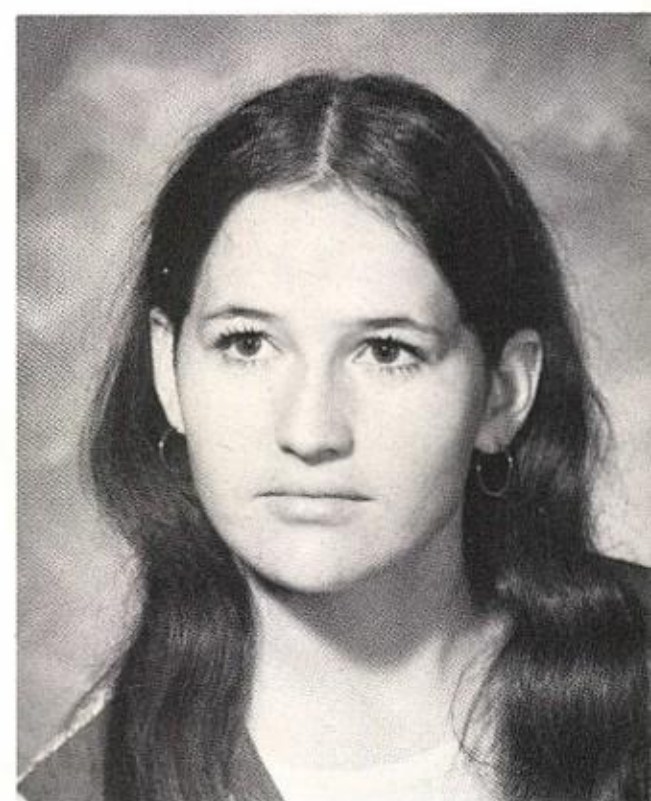
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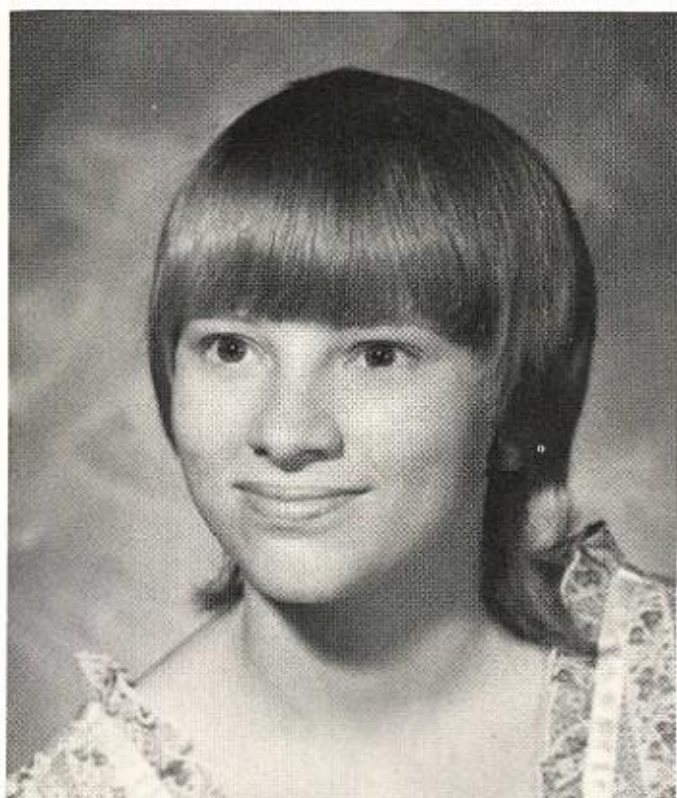
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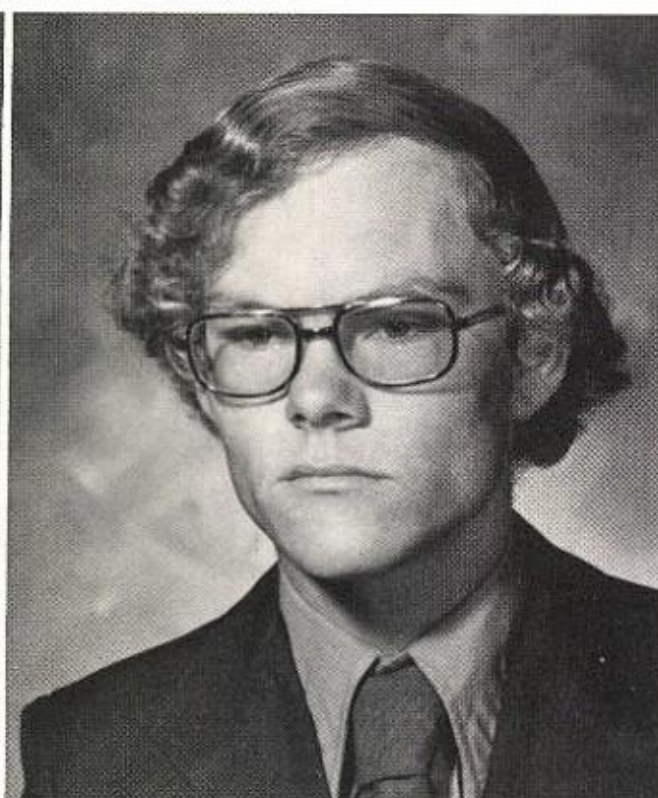
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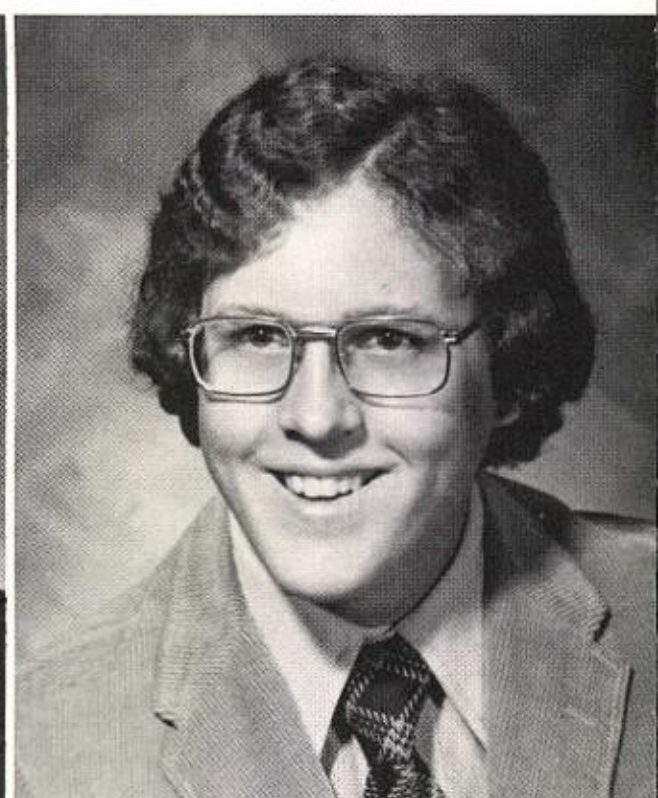
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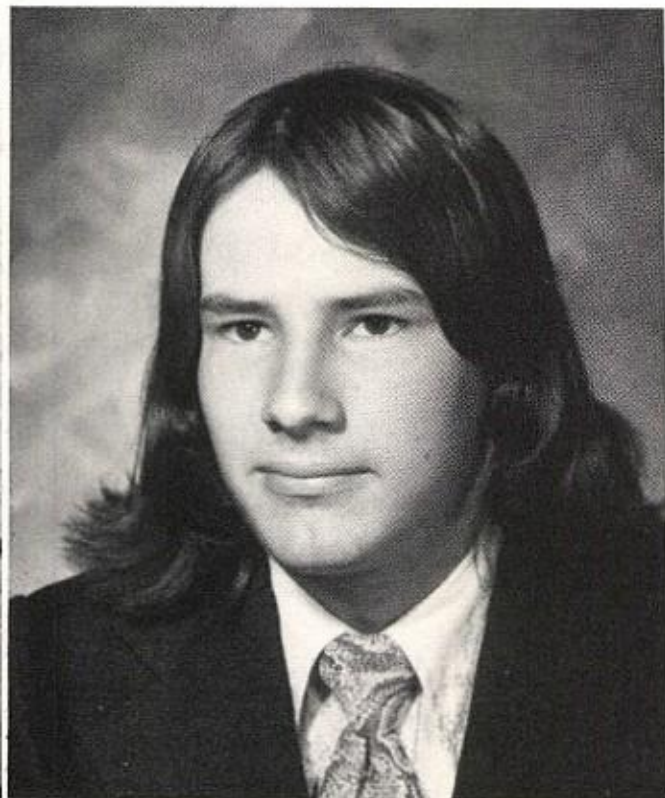
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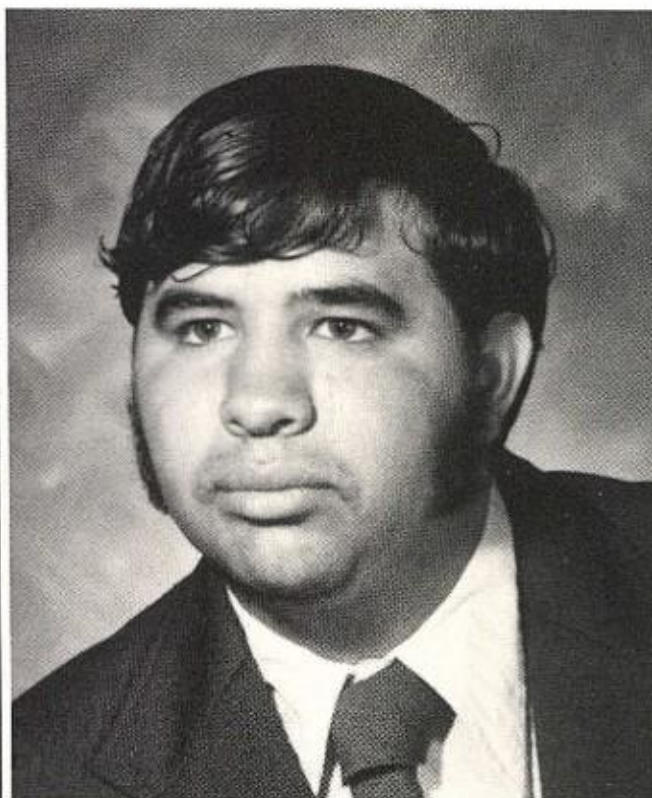
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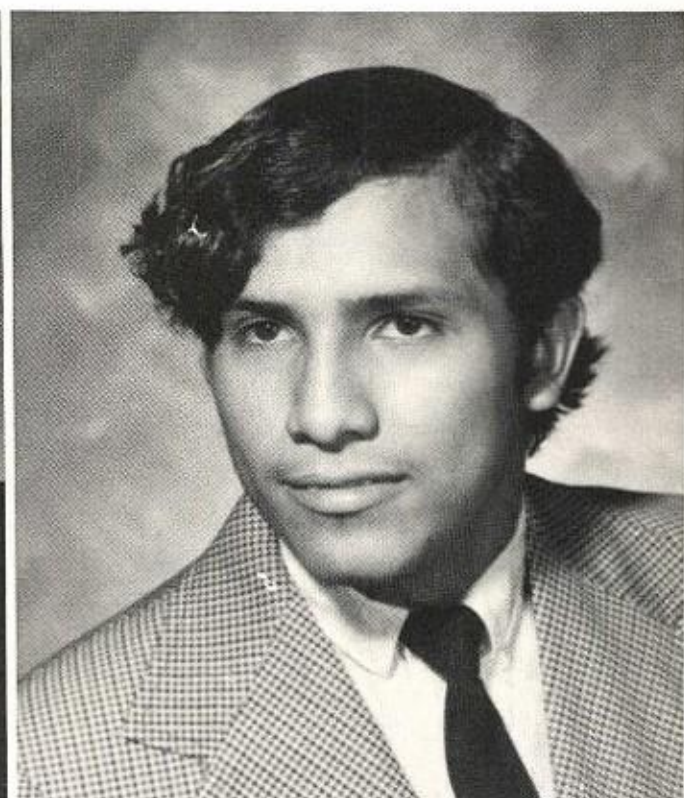
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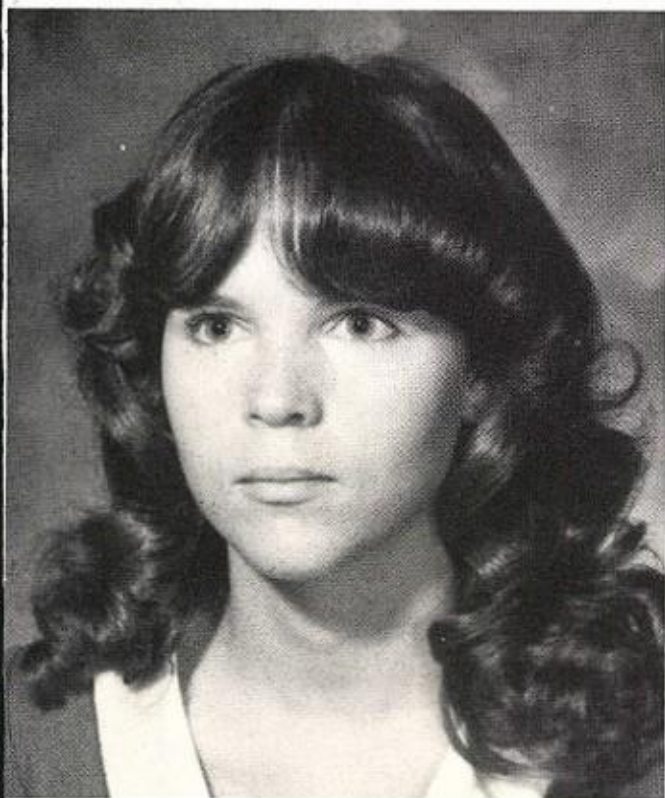
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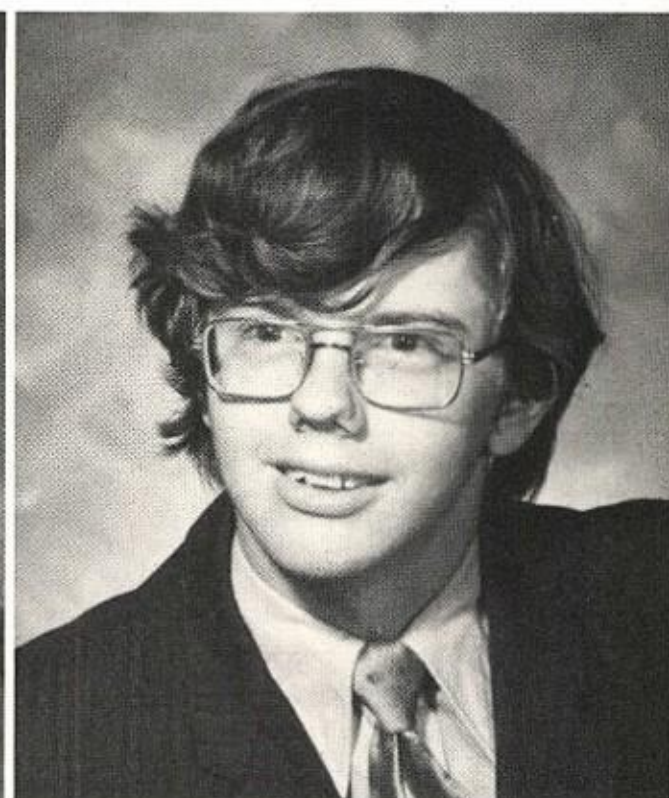
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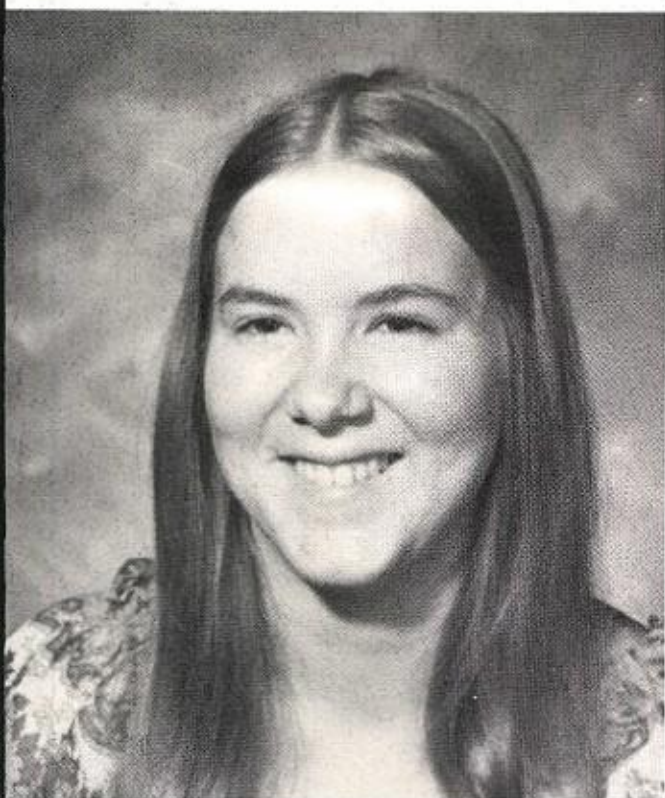
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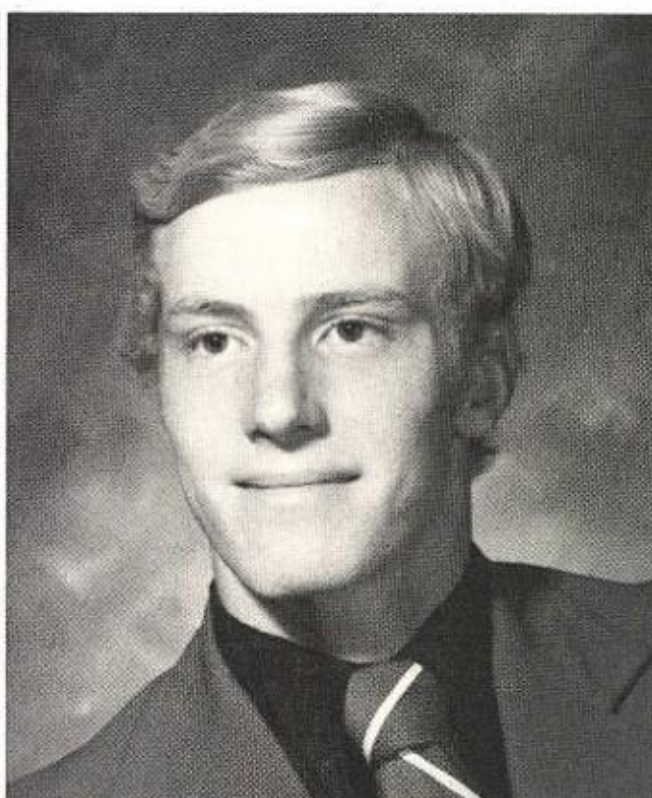
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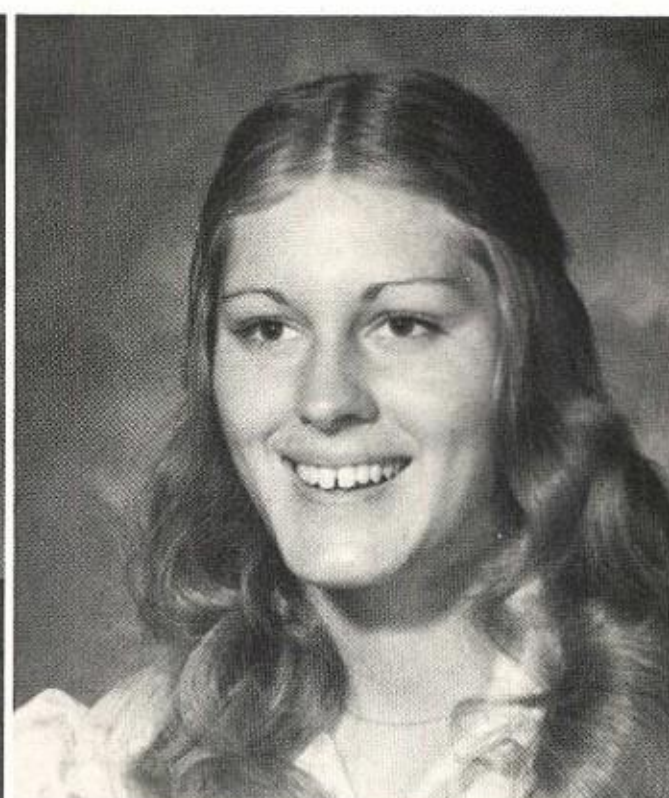
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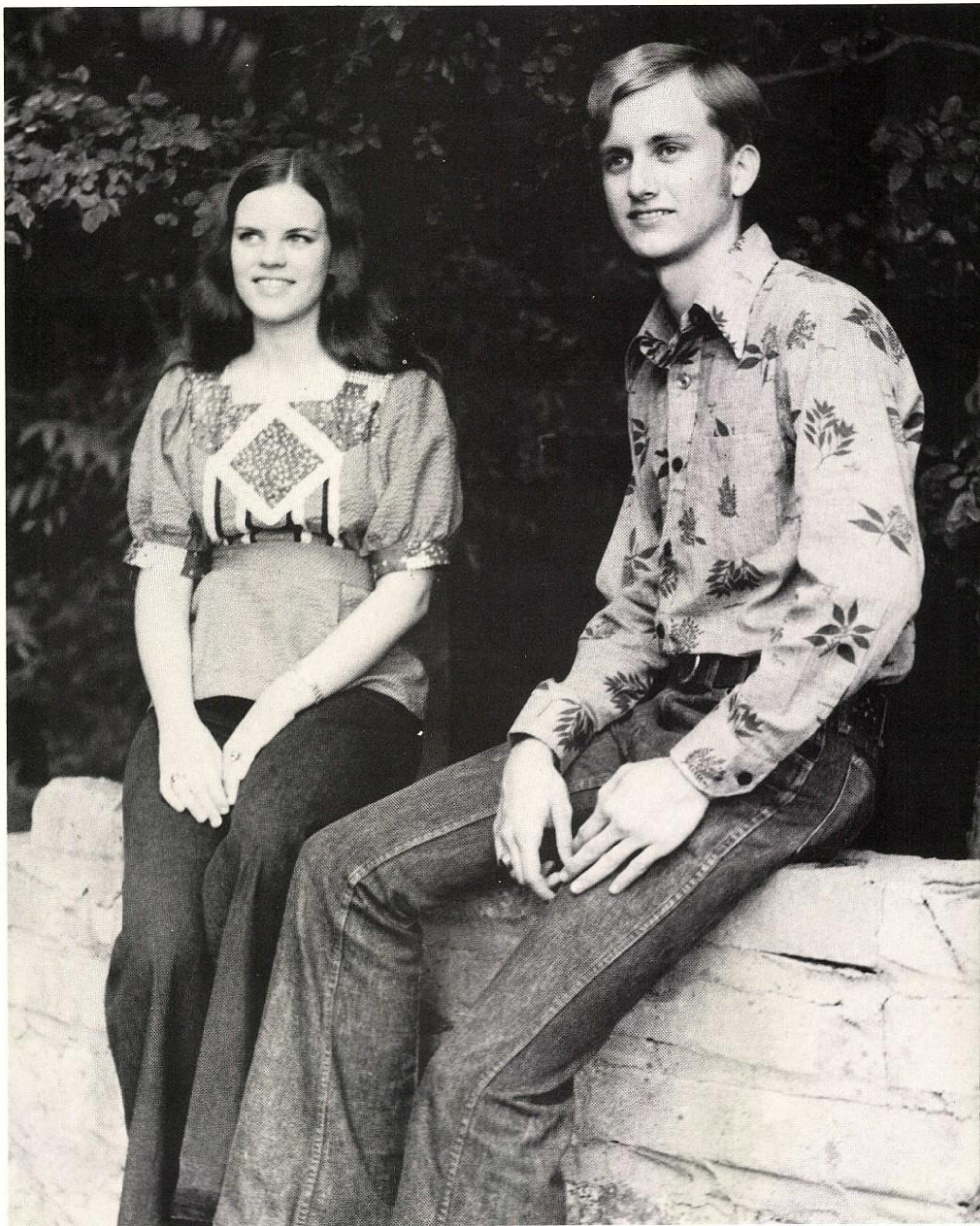


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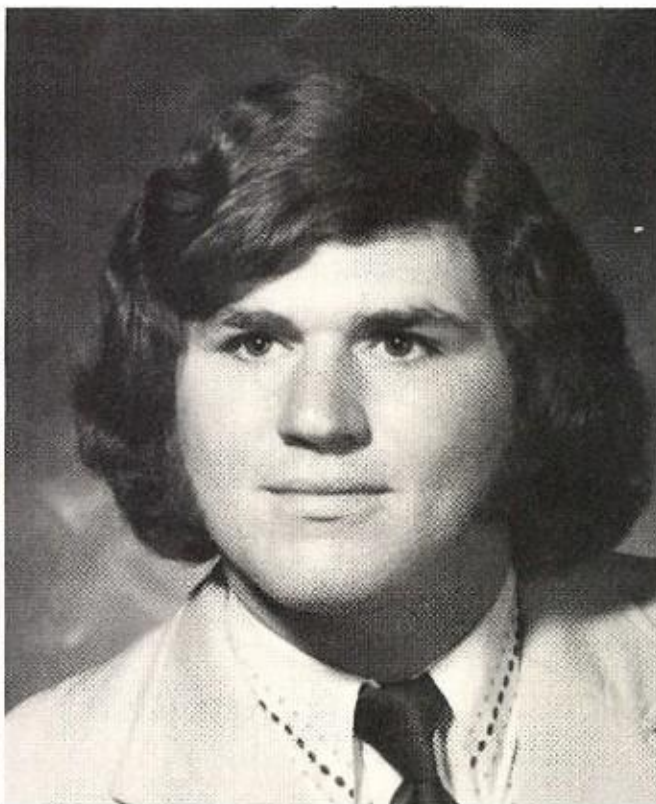
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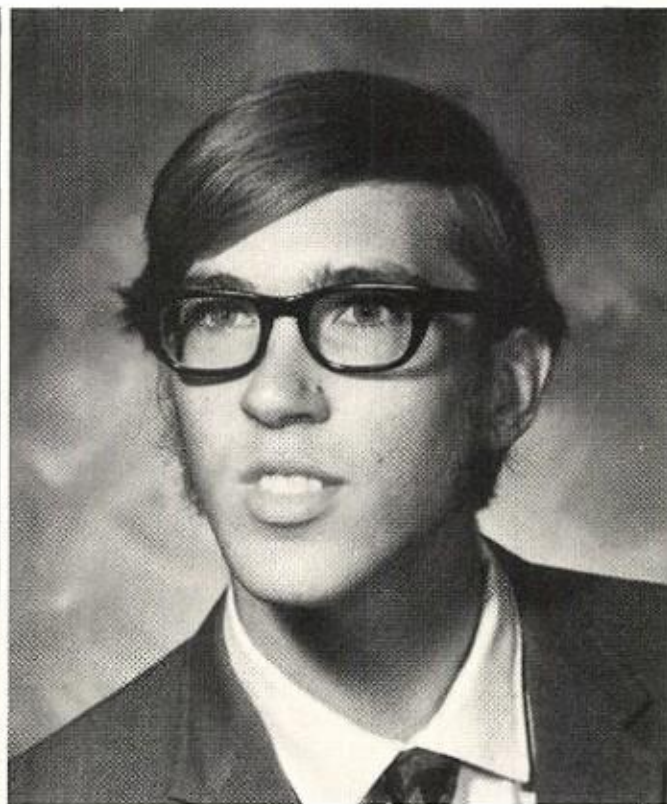




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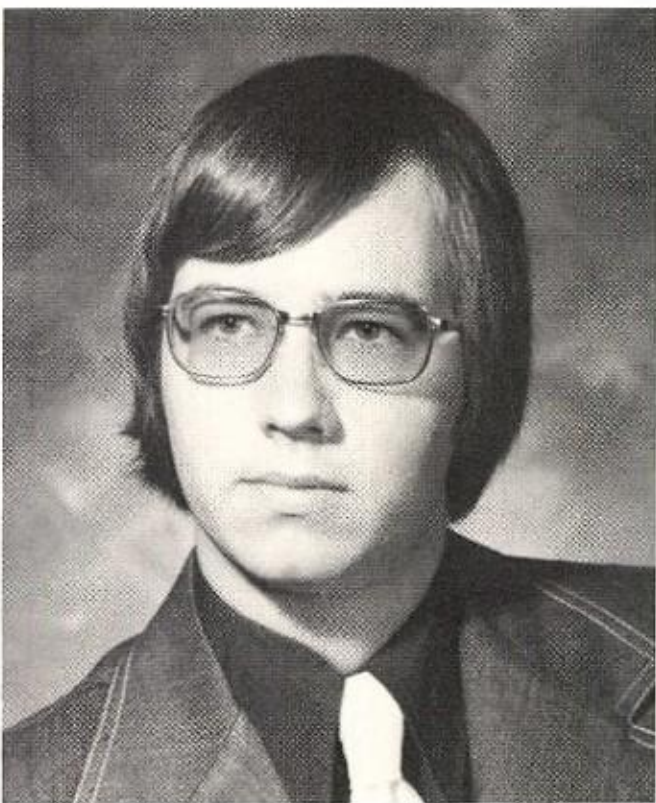
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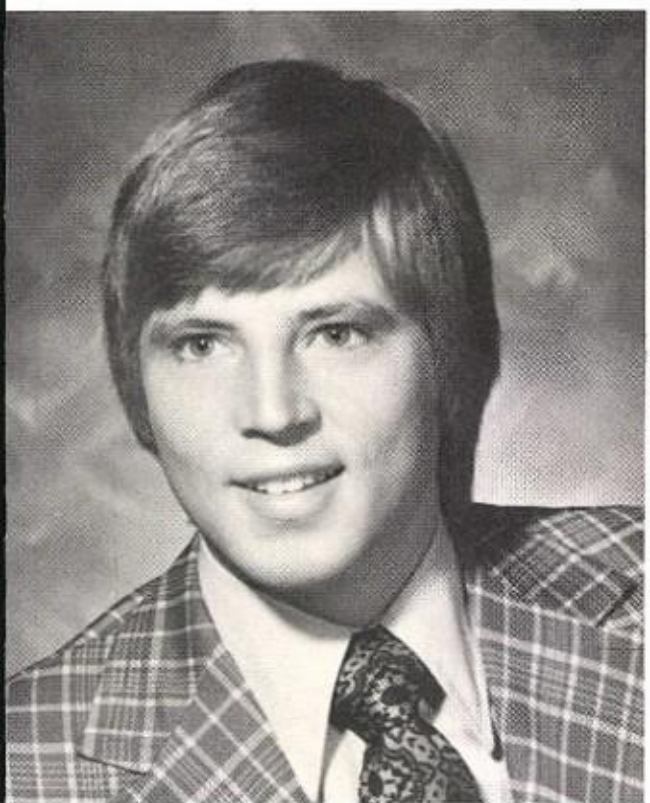
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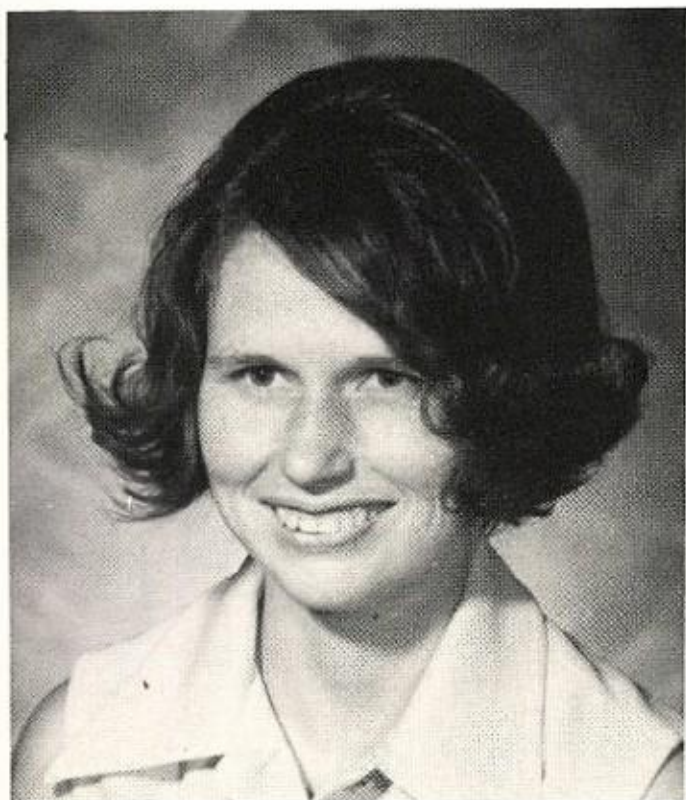
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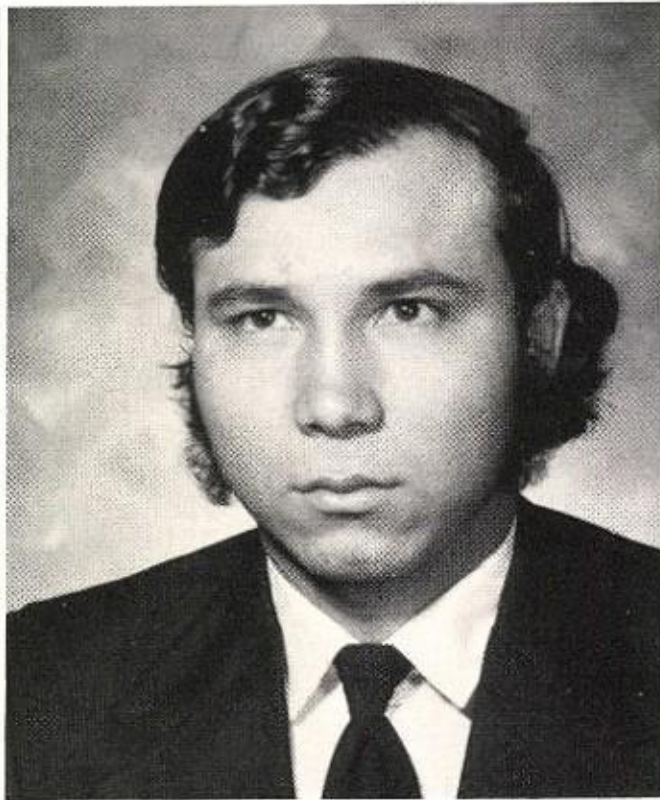
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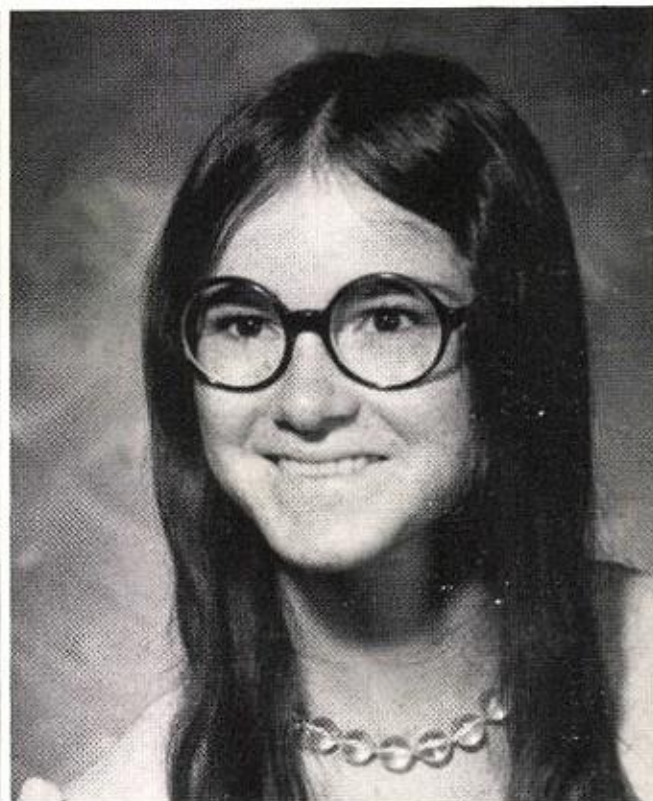
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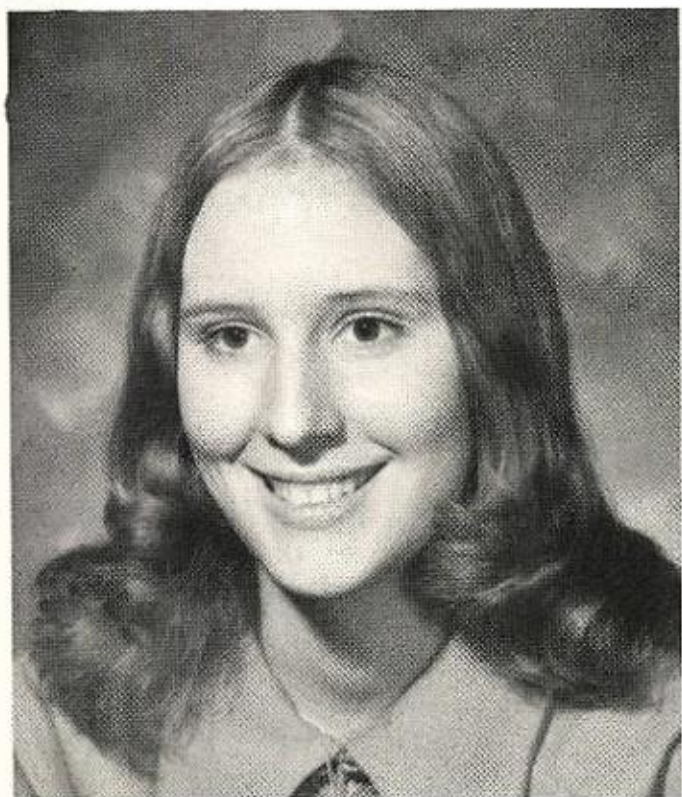
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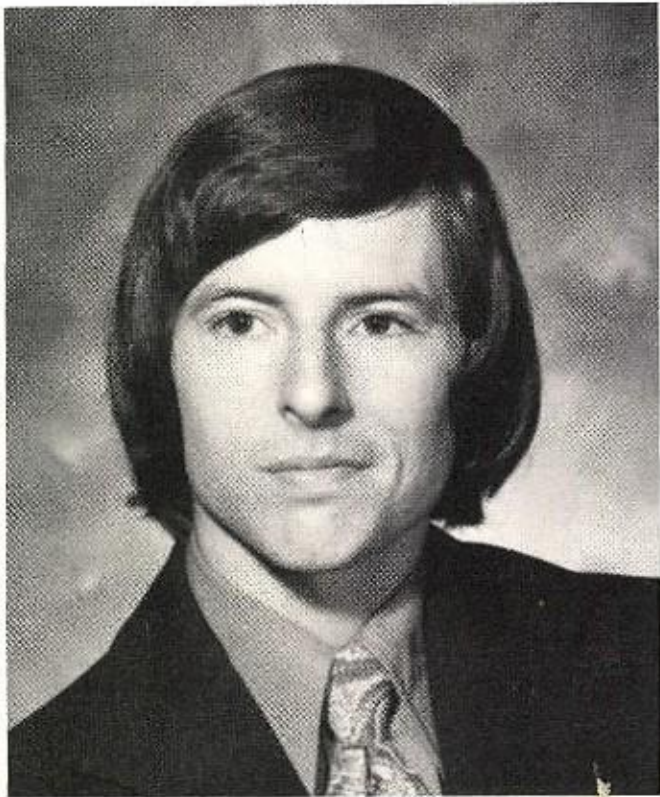
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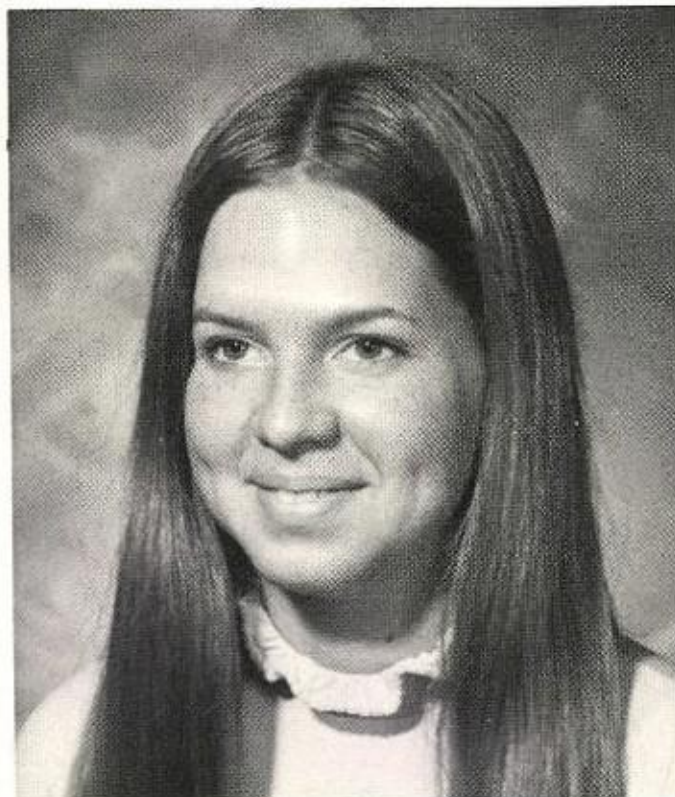
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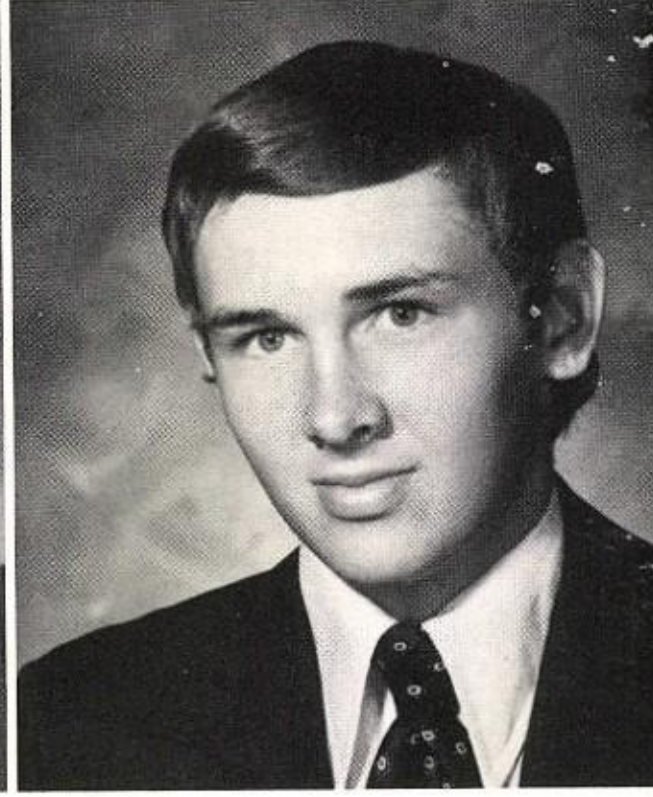
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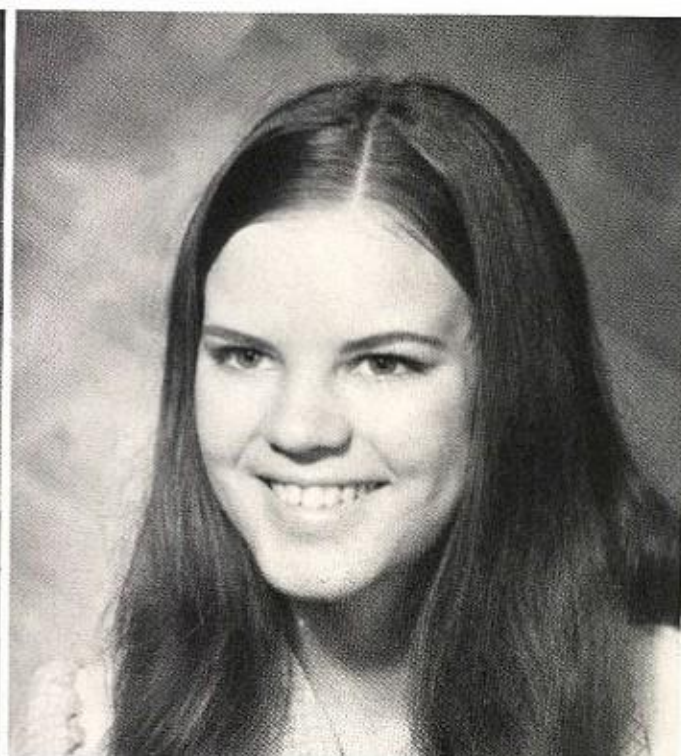
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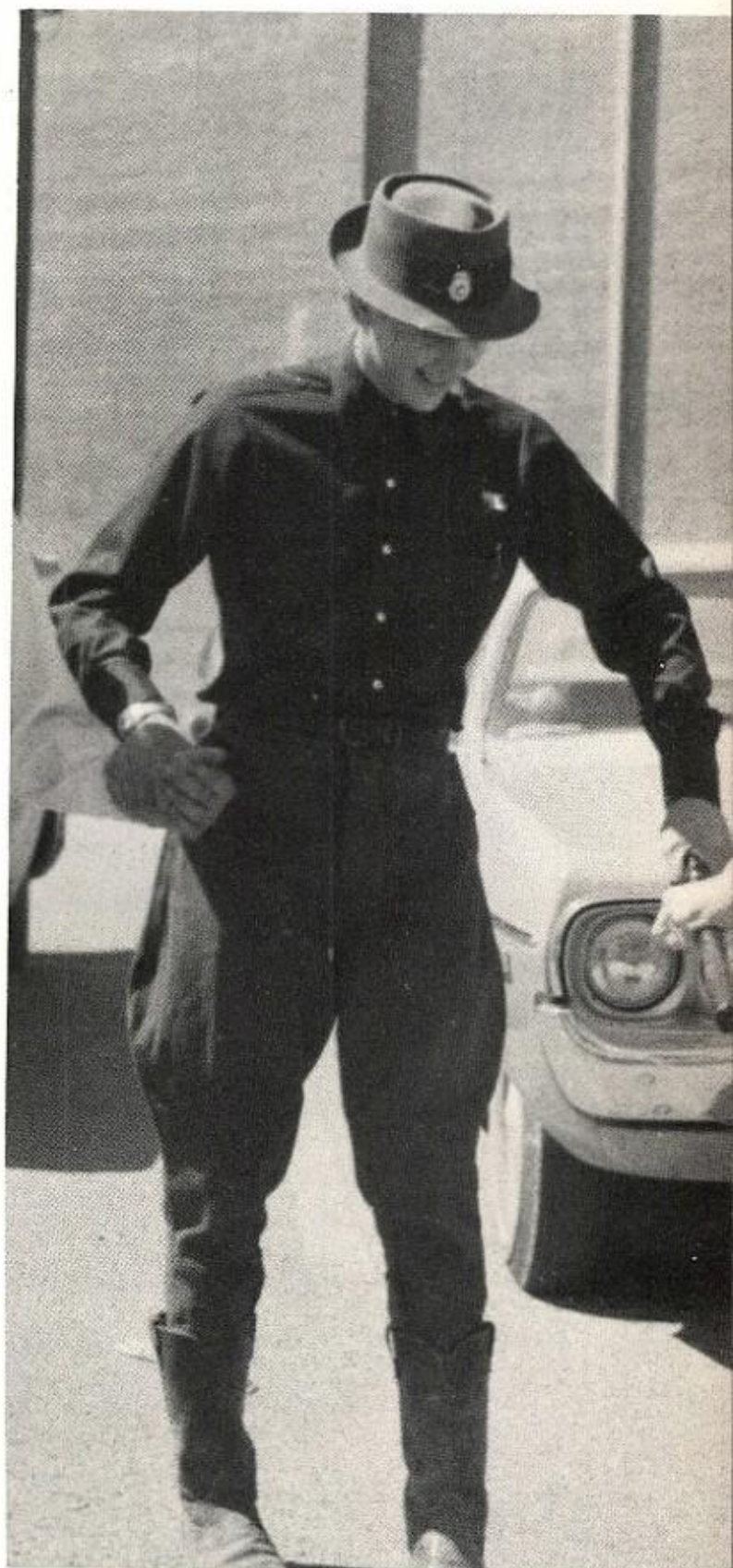
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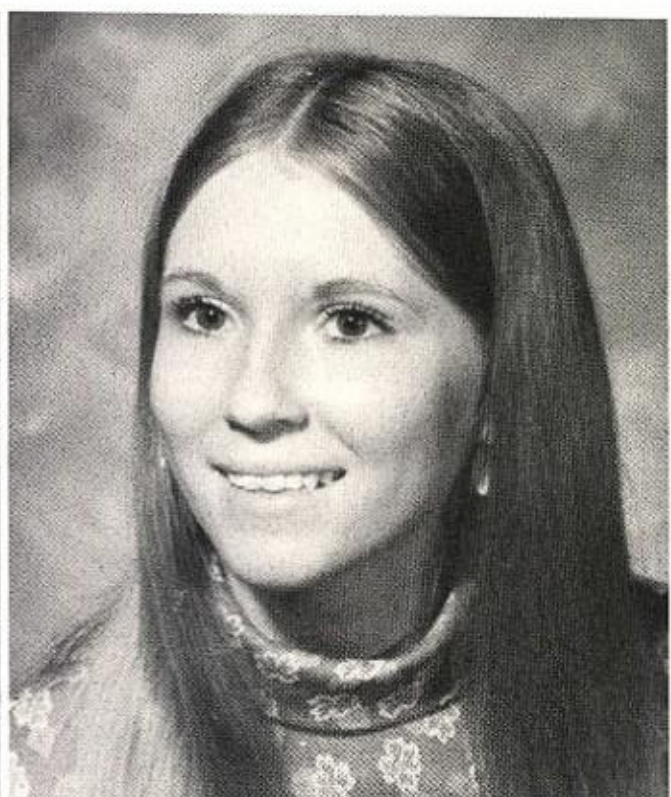
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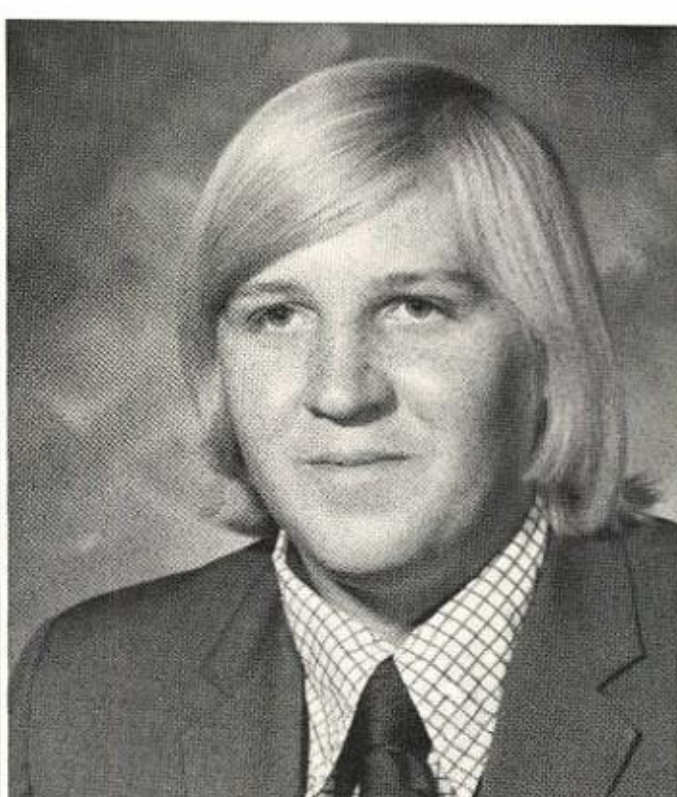
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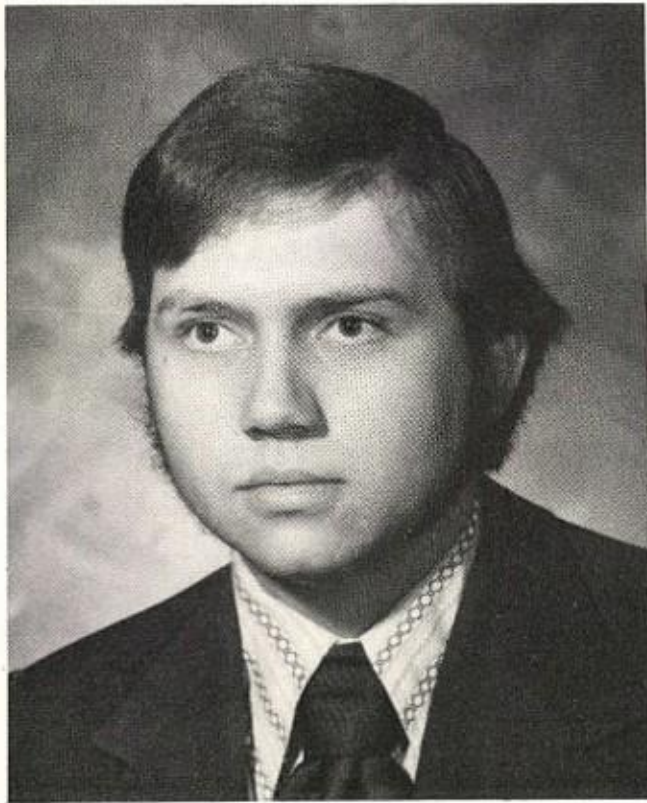
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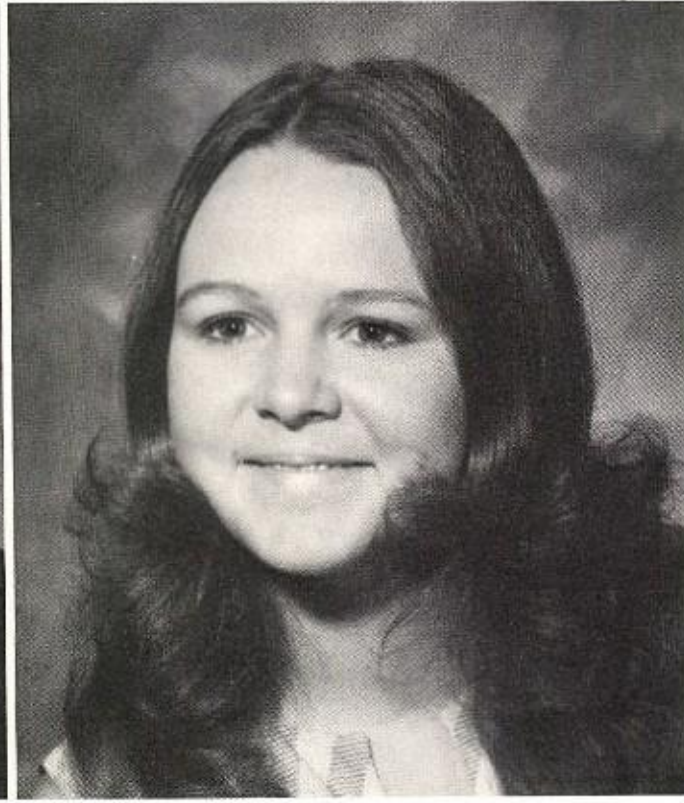
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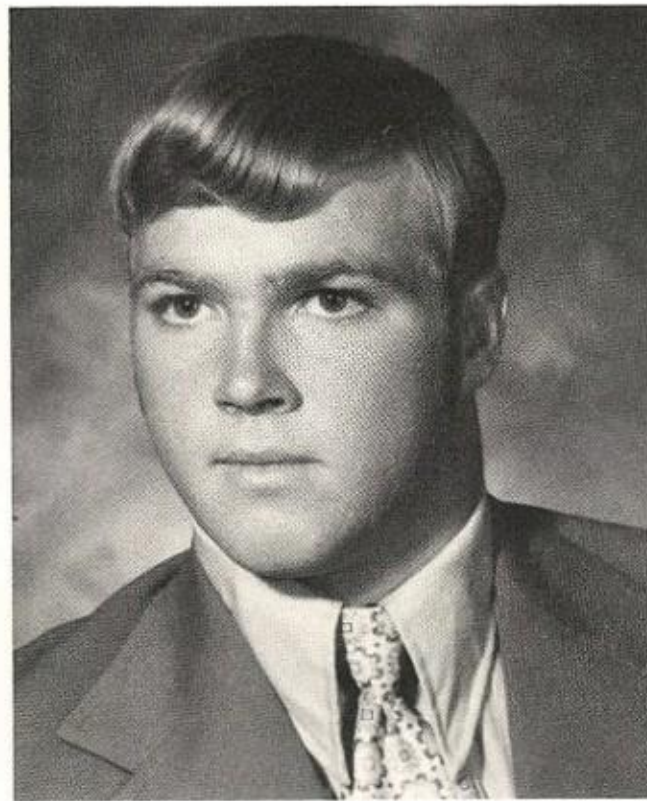
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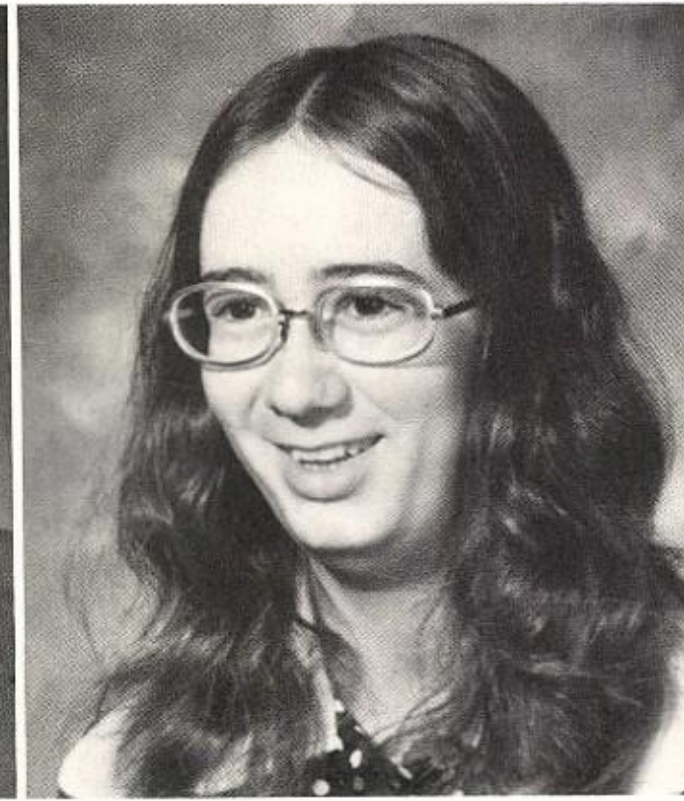
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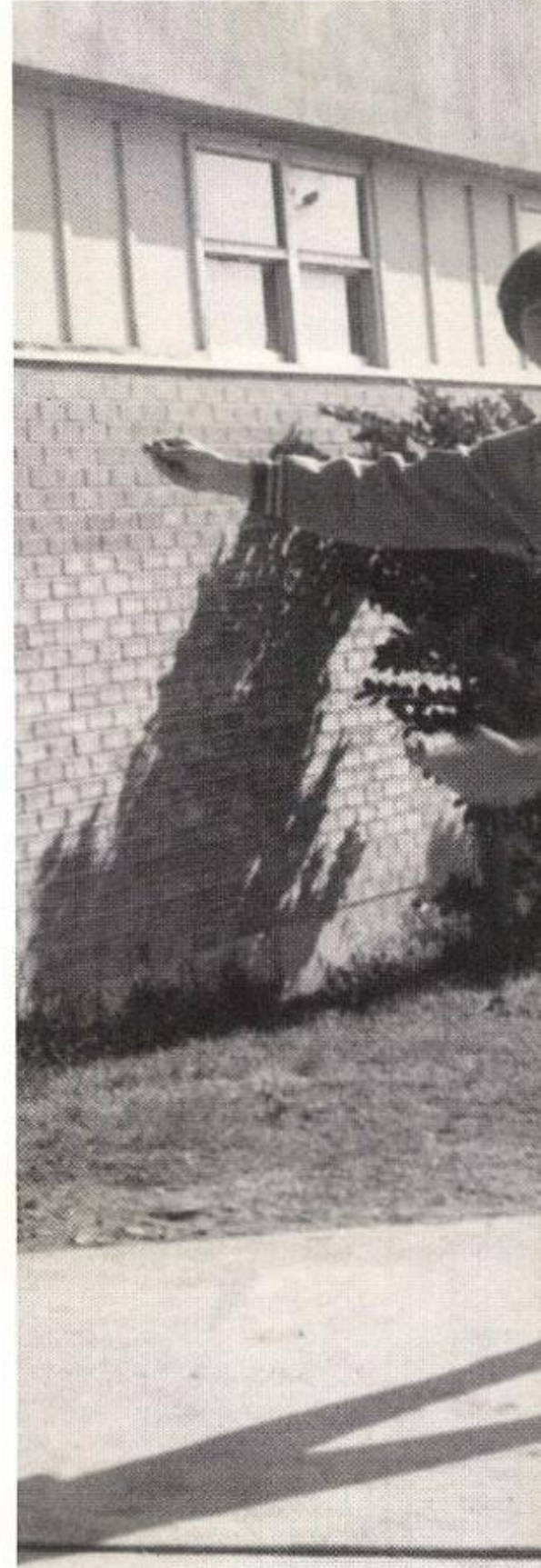
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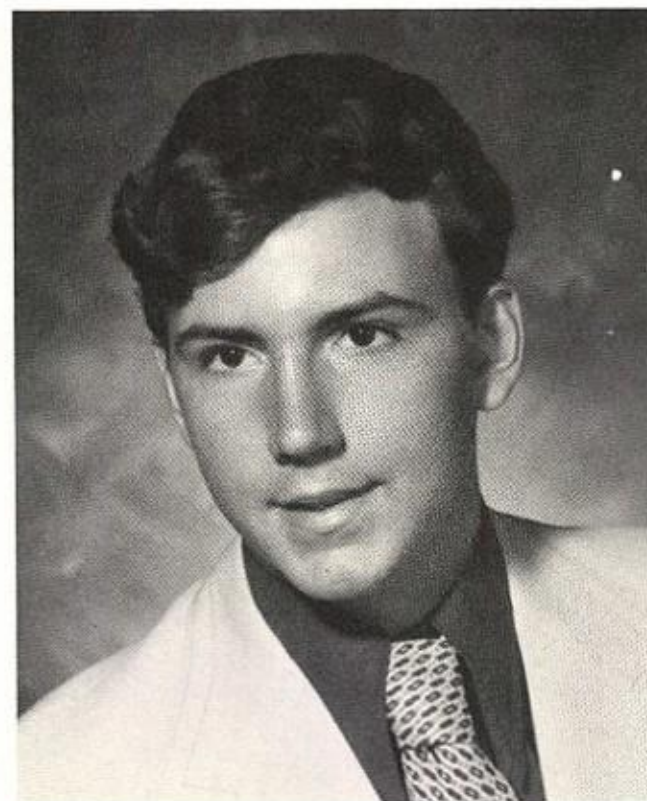
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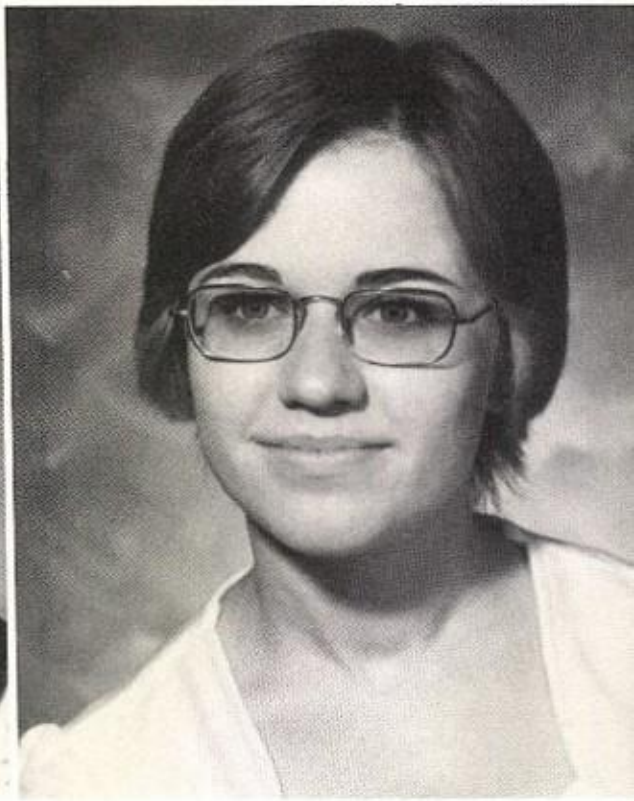
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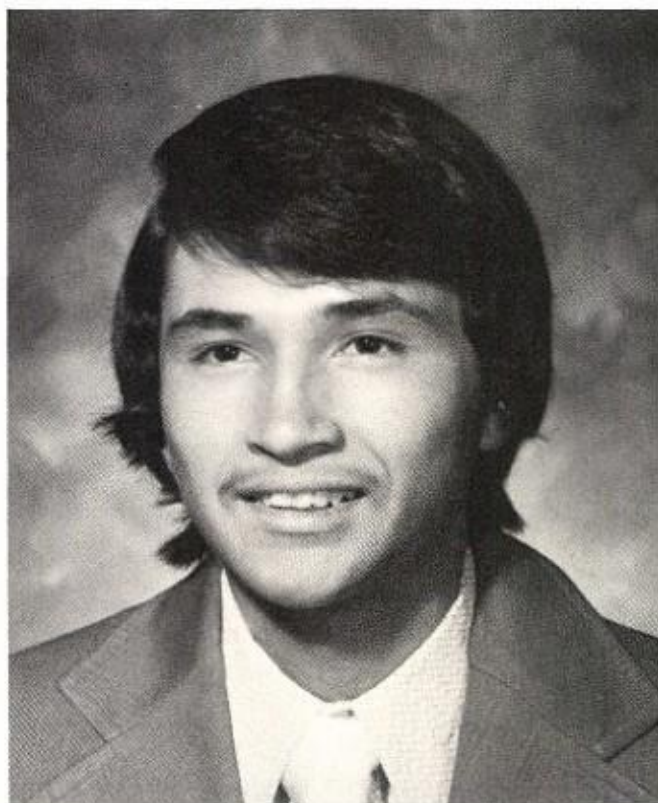
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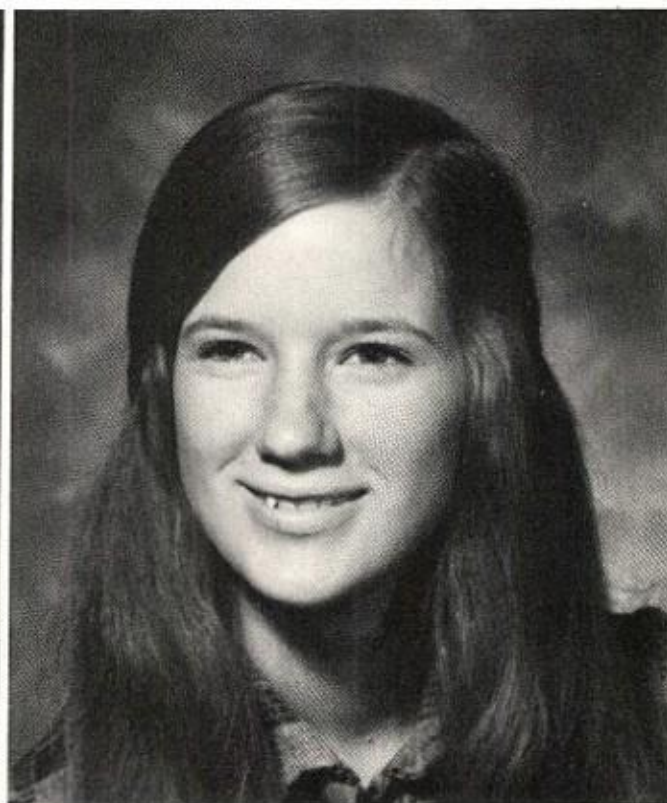
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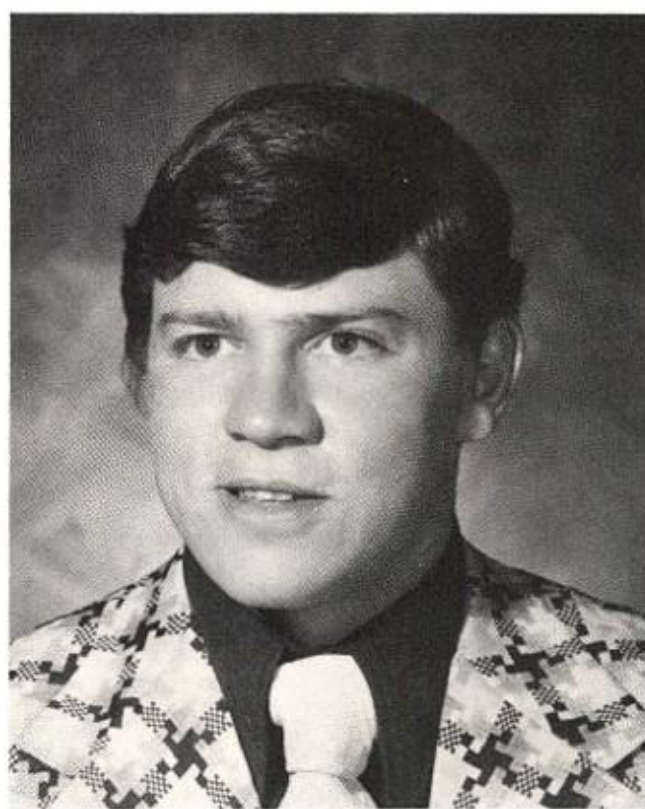
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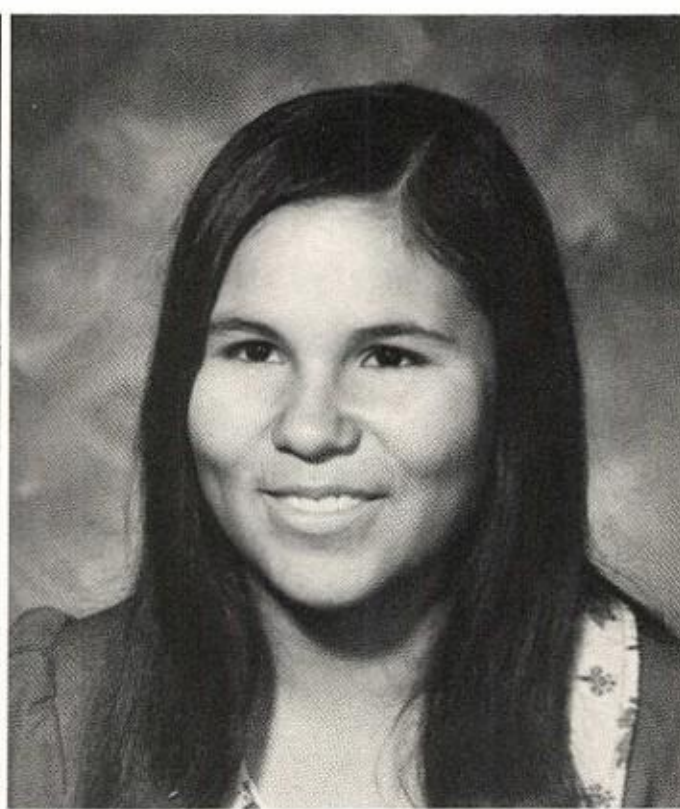
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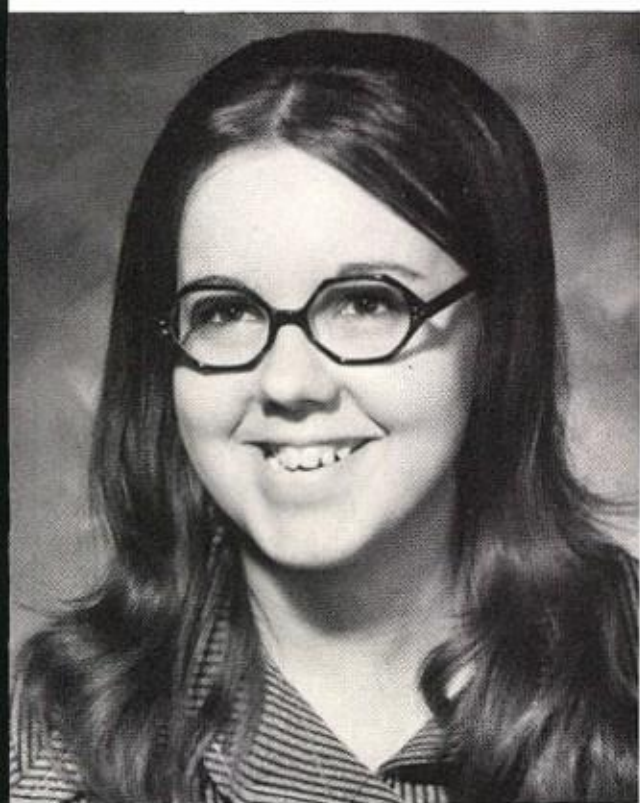


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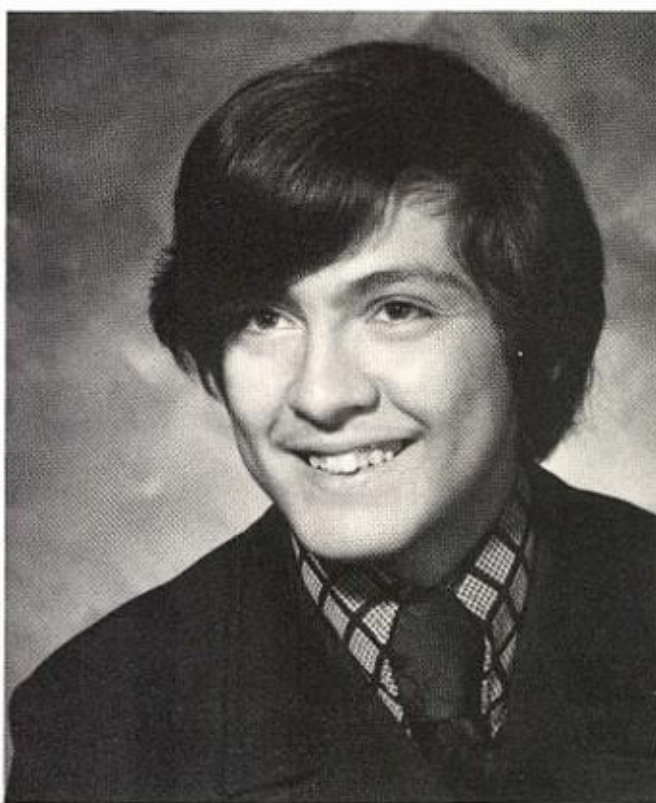


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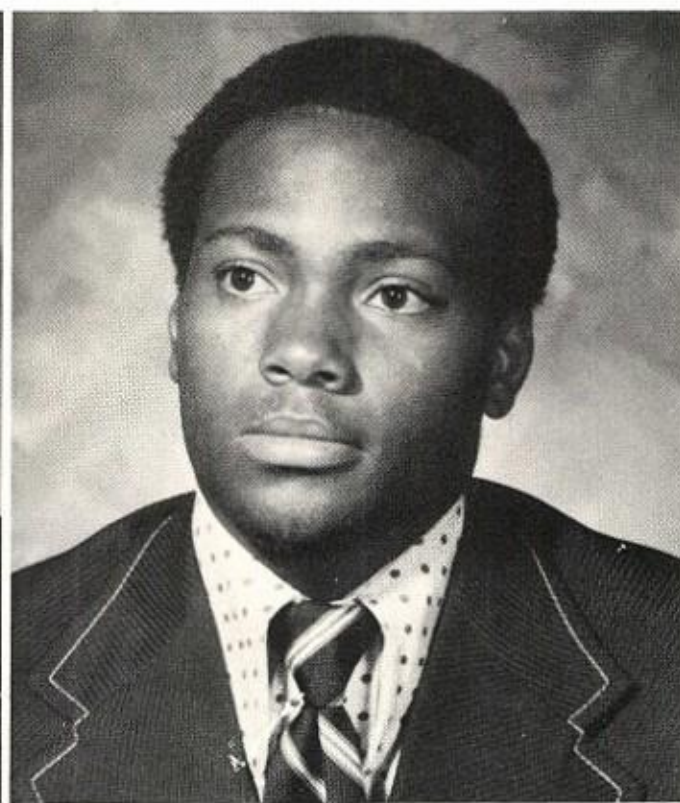
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1975 SENIOR PLAY...

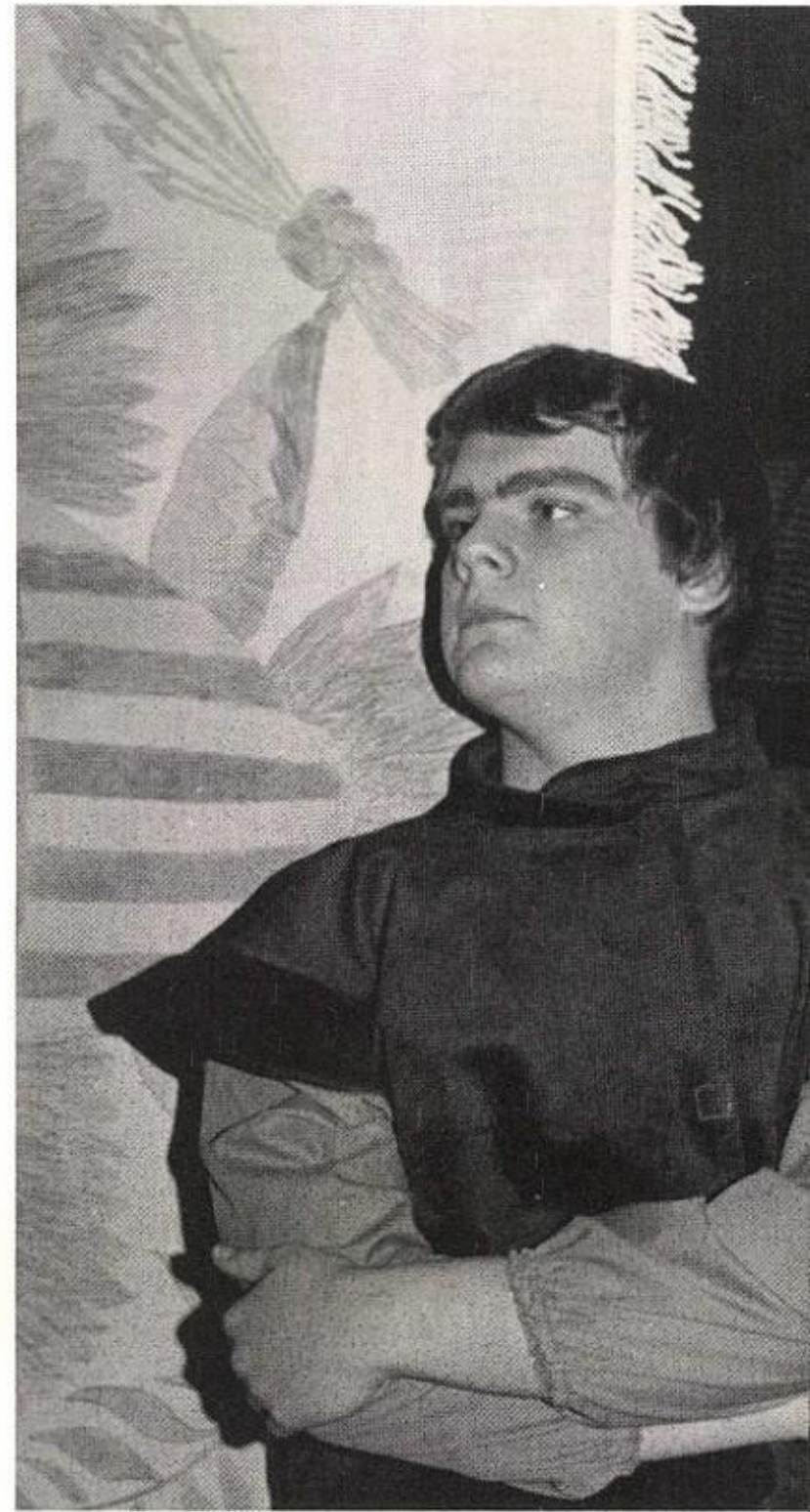
The 1975 Senior Play, *THE MOUSE THAT ROARED*, was based on the small country of Grand Fenwick trying to overtake the United States Government and mistakenly succeeding.

Mrs. Psencik was the faculty director.

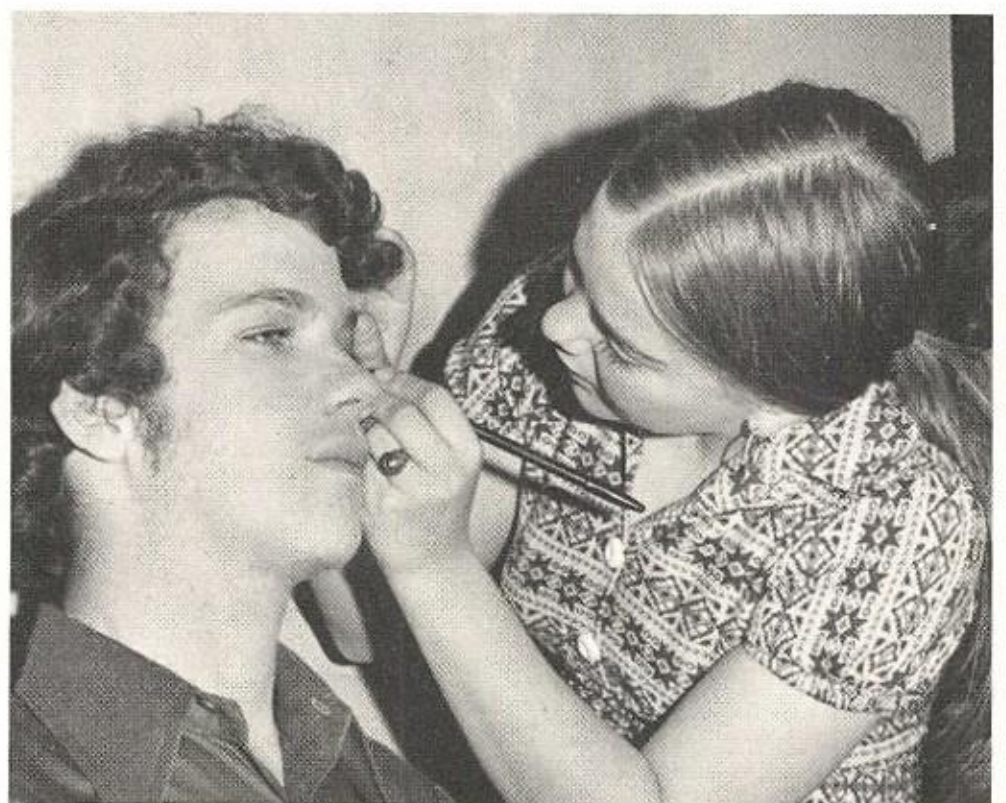
Dana Floyd was the student director.

A member of the "Fenwickian Council" was Randall Geer.

The large crew did an outstanding job.



THE MOUSE THAT ROARED



The thirty-one cast members each did an excellent performance.

Brenda Benskin, the Queen of Fenwick, applies the essentials of stage makeup.

Debbie Hanes applies the perfect touch of make-up for Boyce Cabiness.

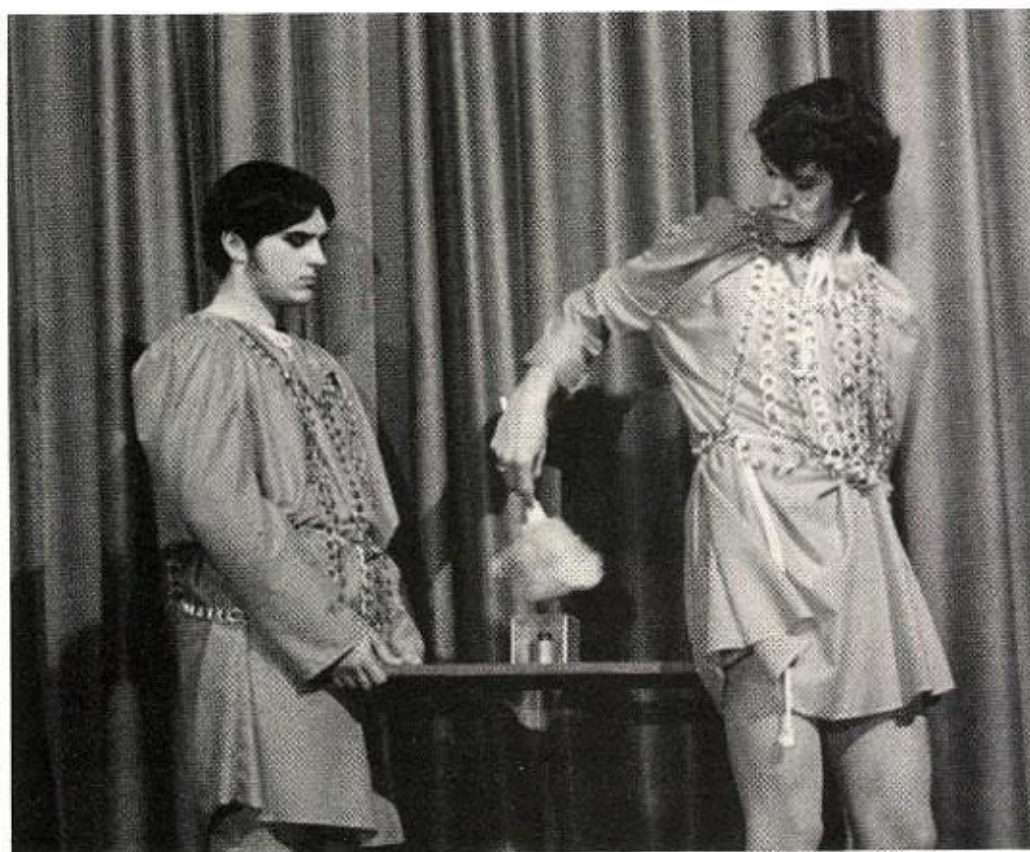
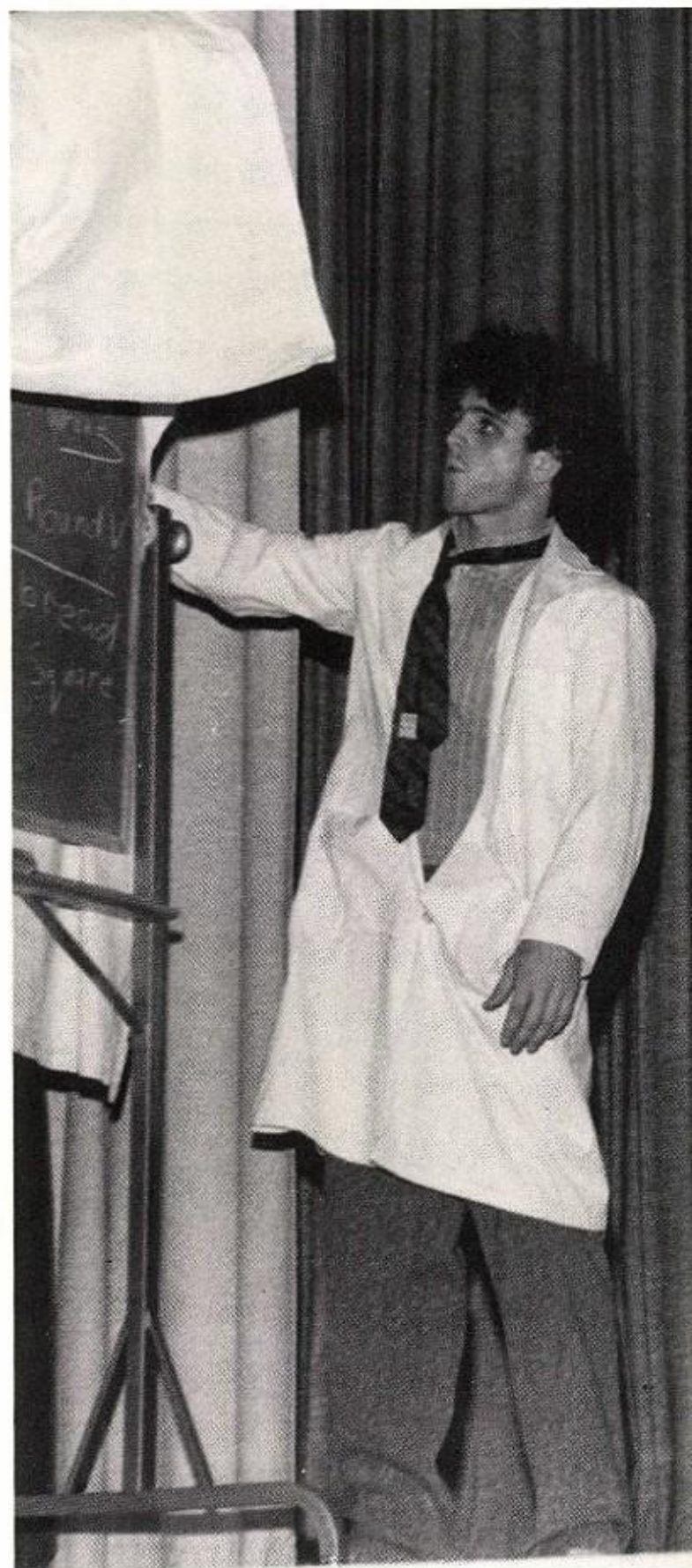
The innocent looking soldiers (Varsity football players) were a standout in the comedy of the play.

Brenda calms down Ricky Robinson, a Fenwickian Council member.

Professor Kokintz displays his formula for the "Q" Bomb.

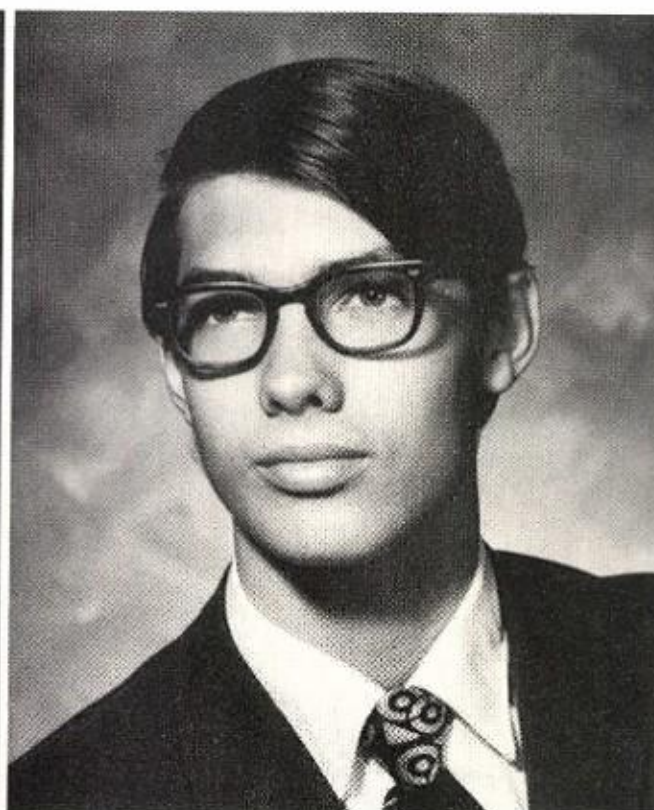
Ted looks on as Boyce dusts the powerful "Q" Bomb.

The queen orders the "Q" Bomb to the dungeon.

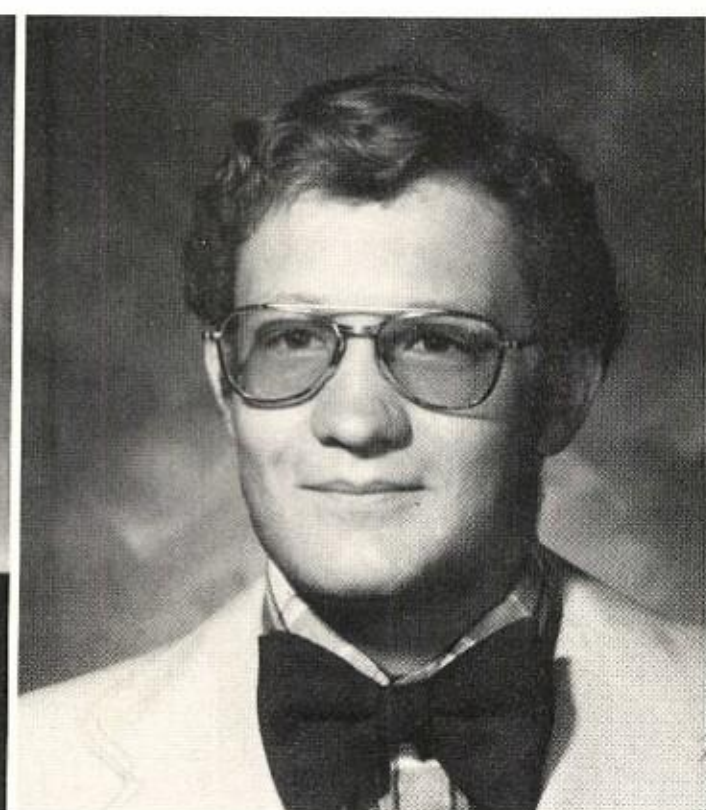




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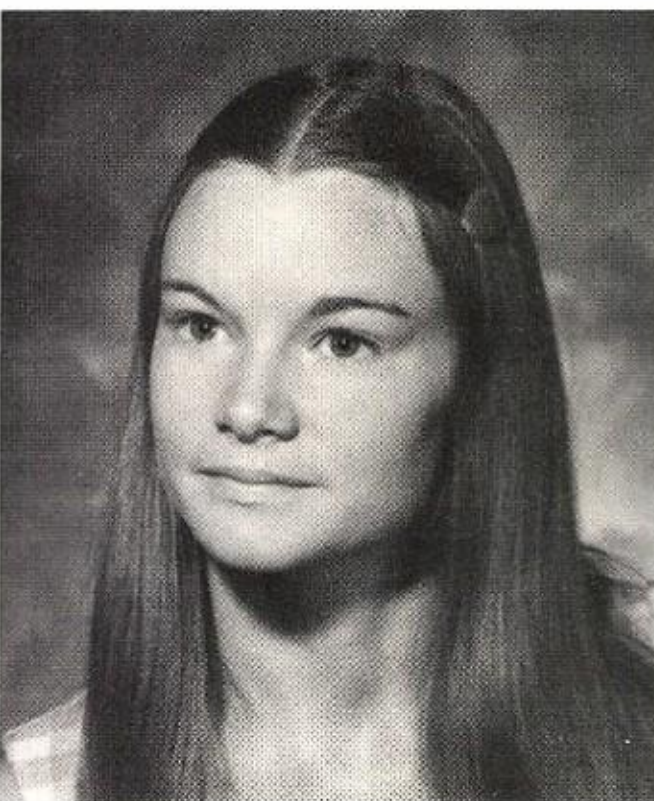
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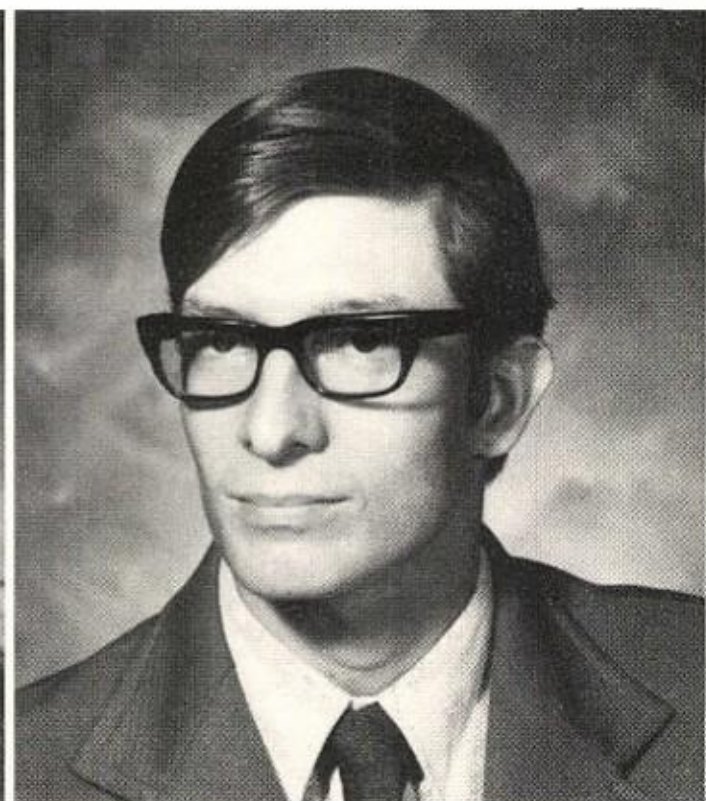
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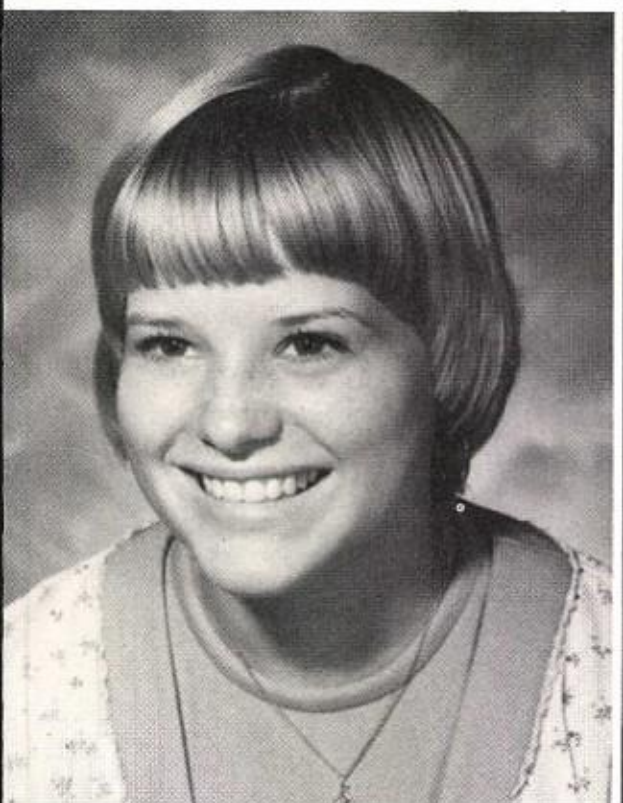
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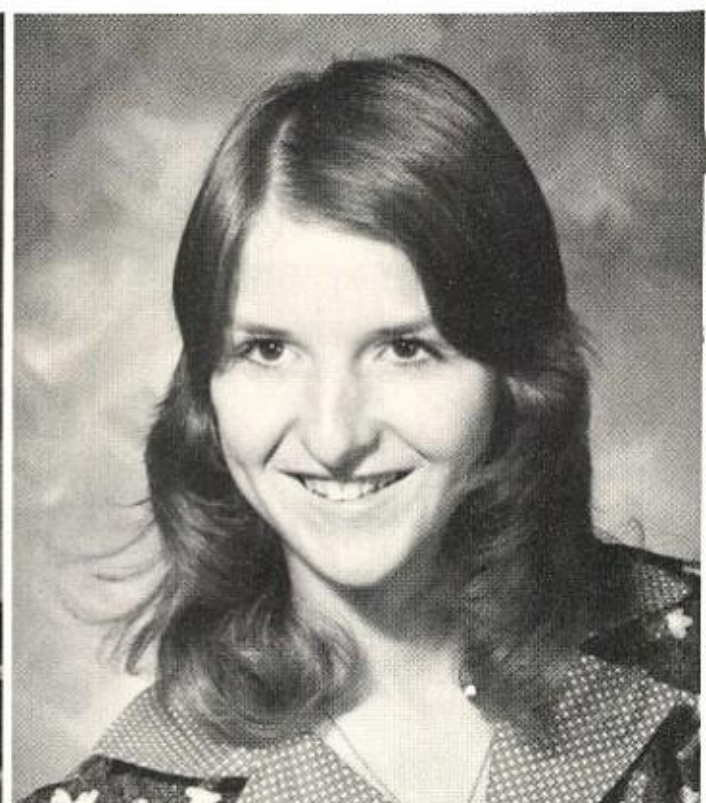
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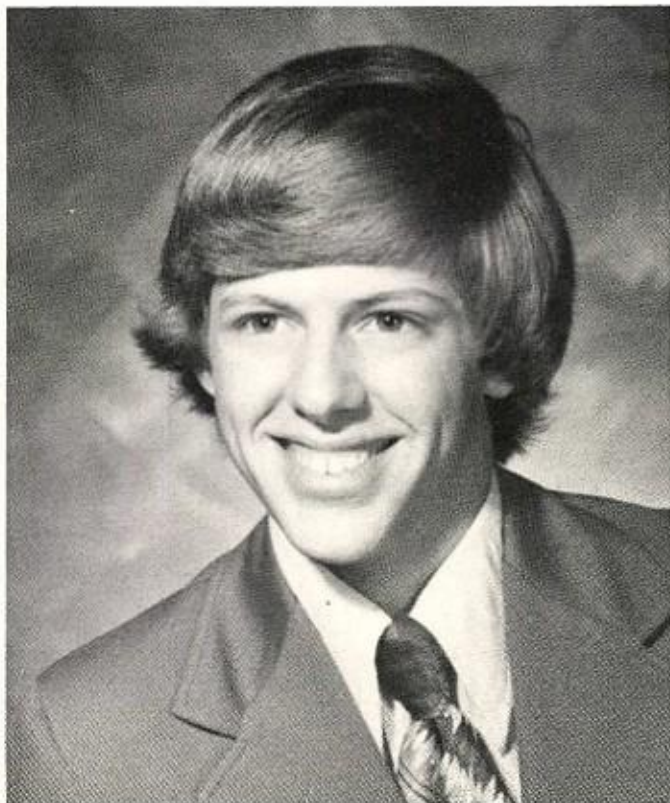
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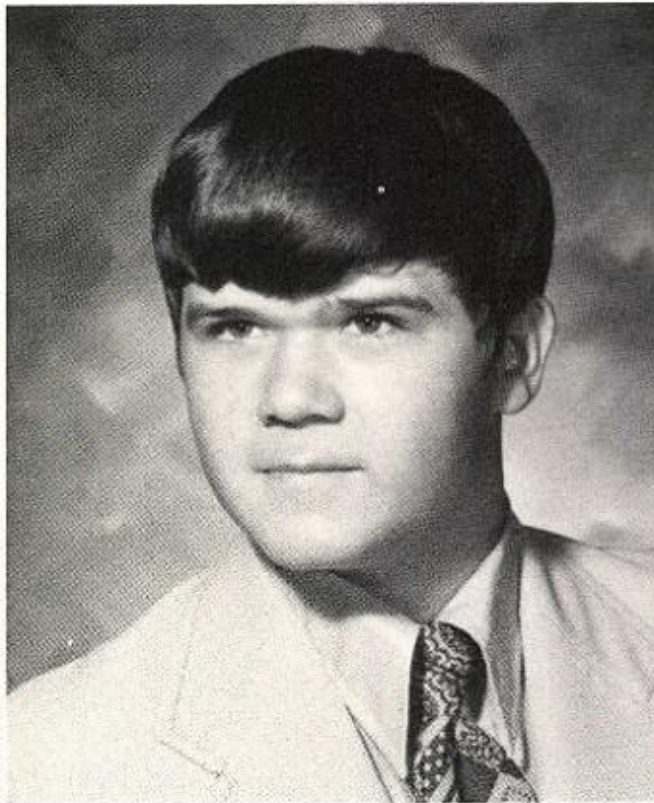
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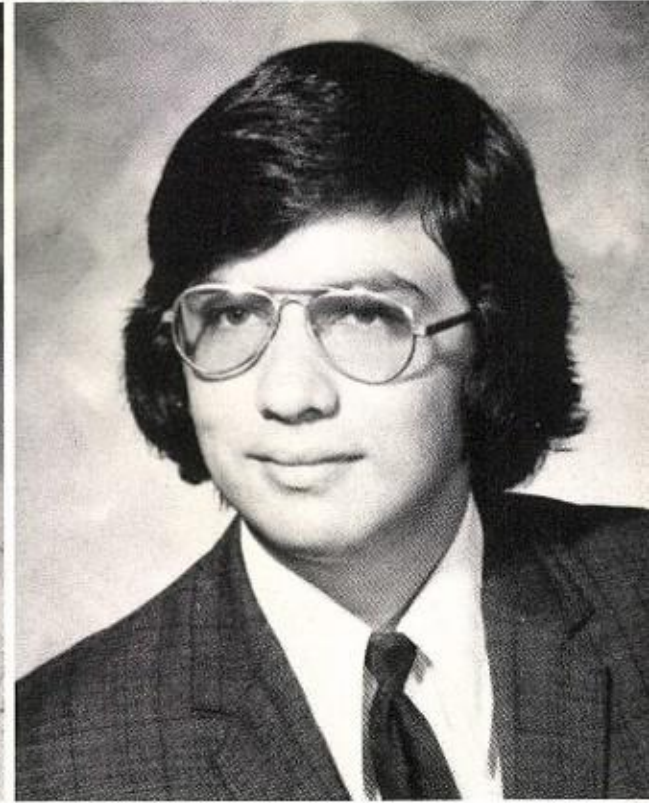
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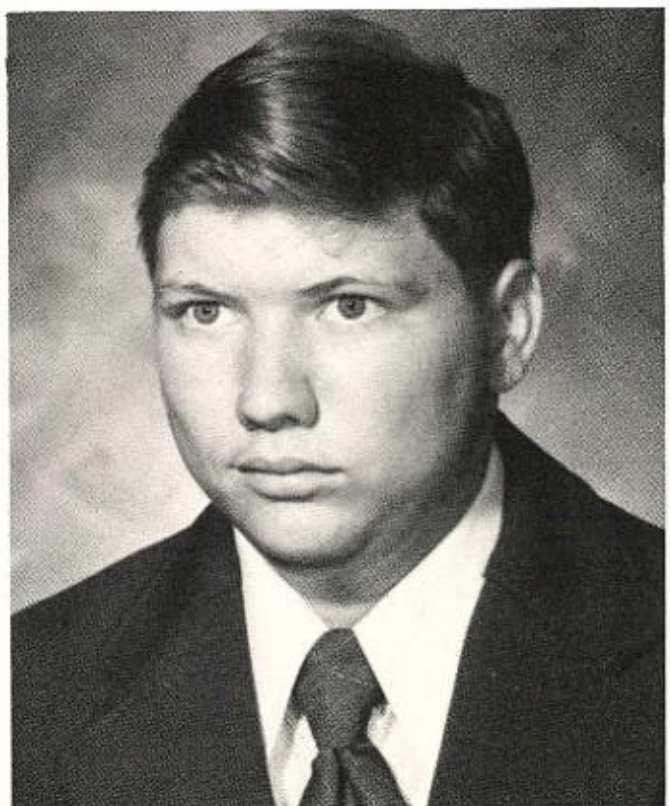
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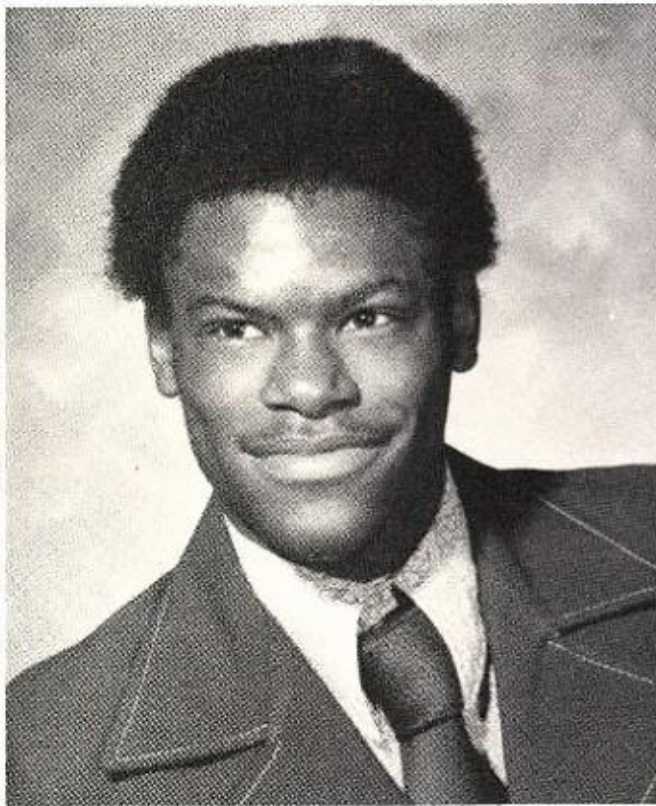
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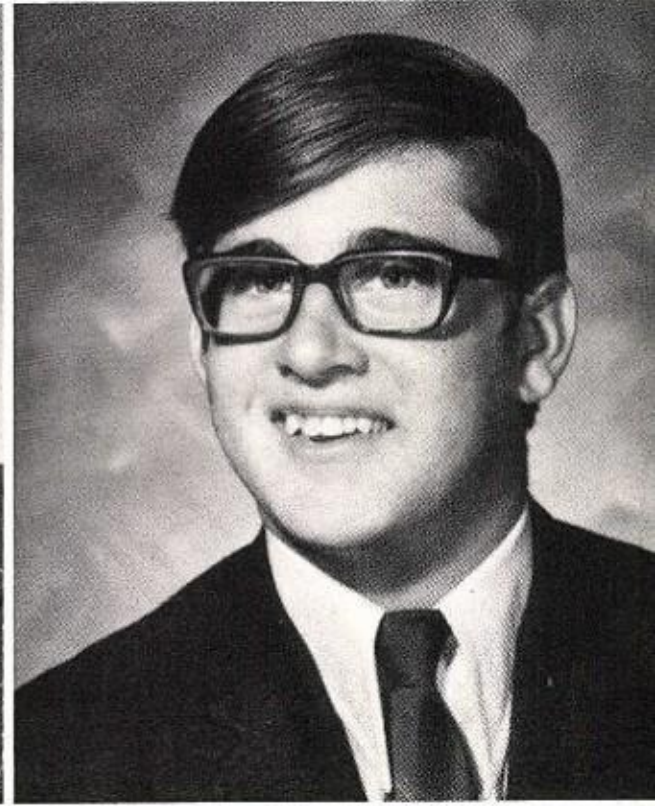
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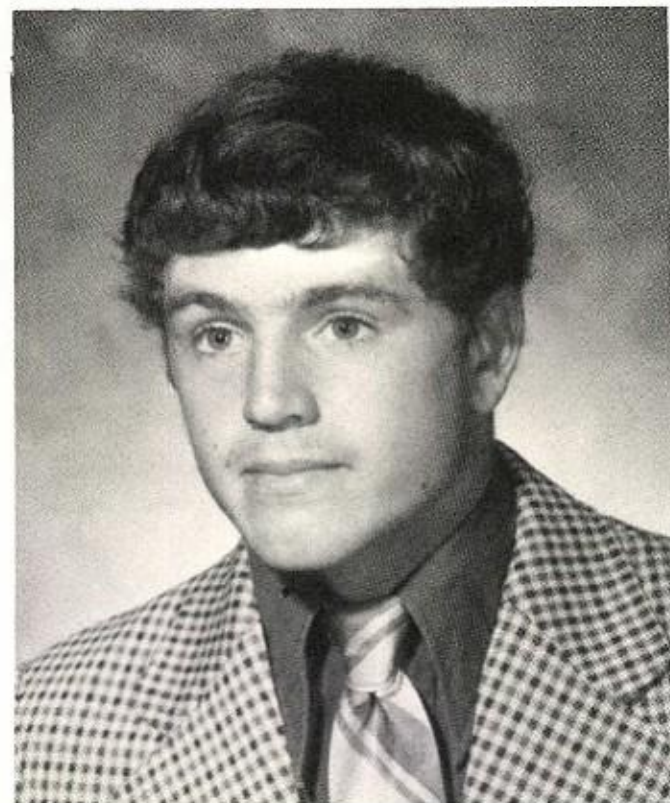
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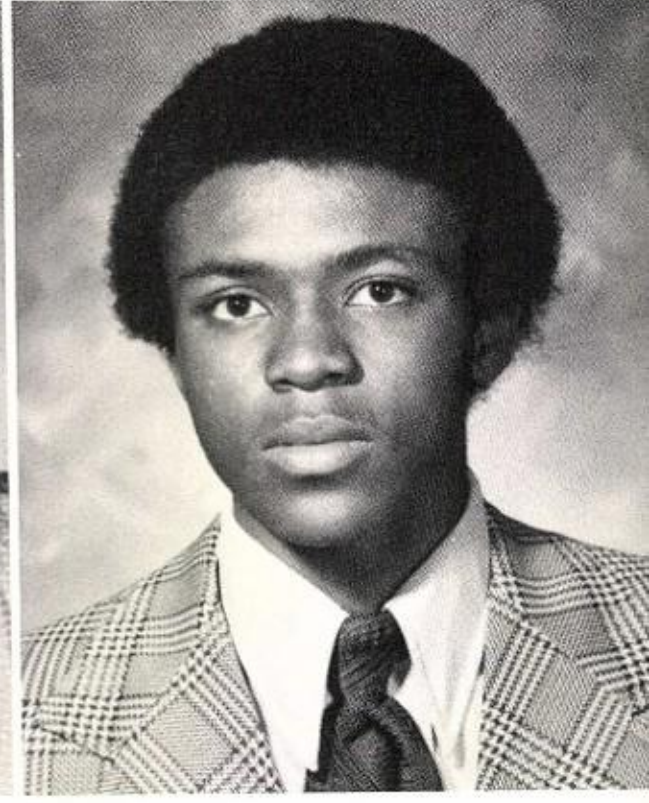
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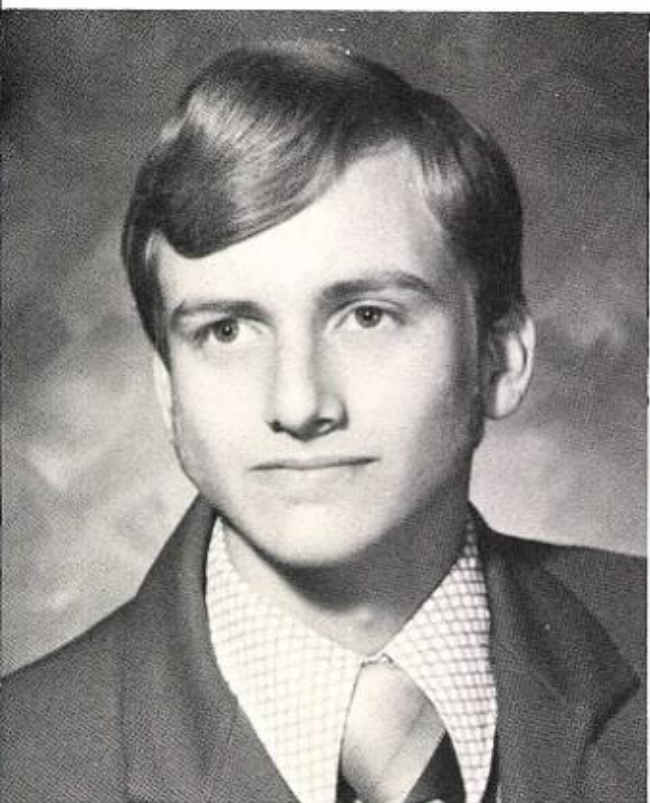
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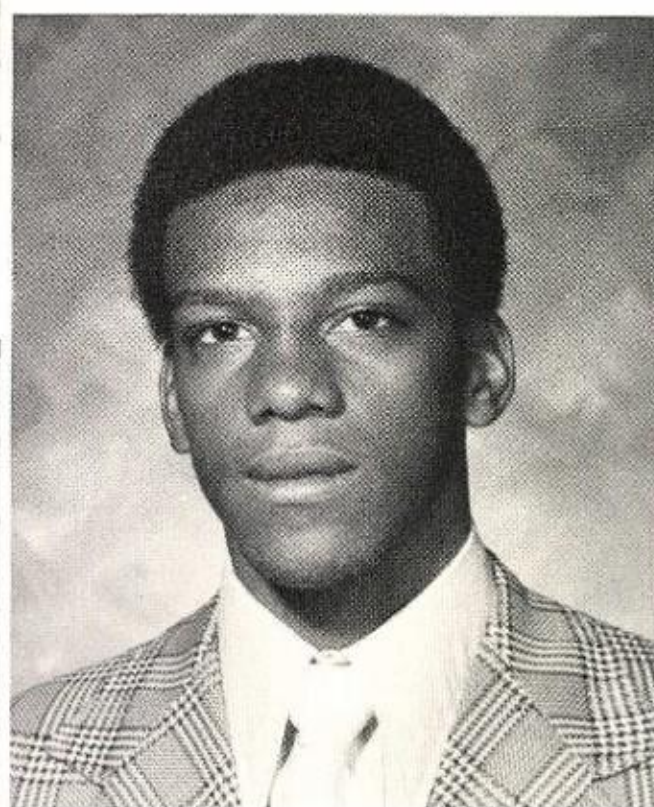
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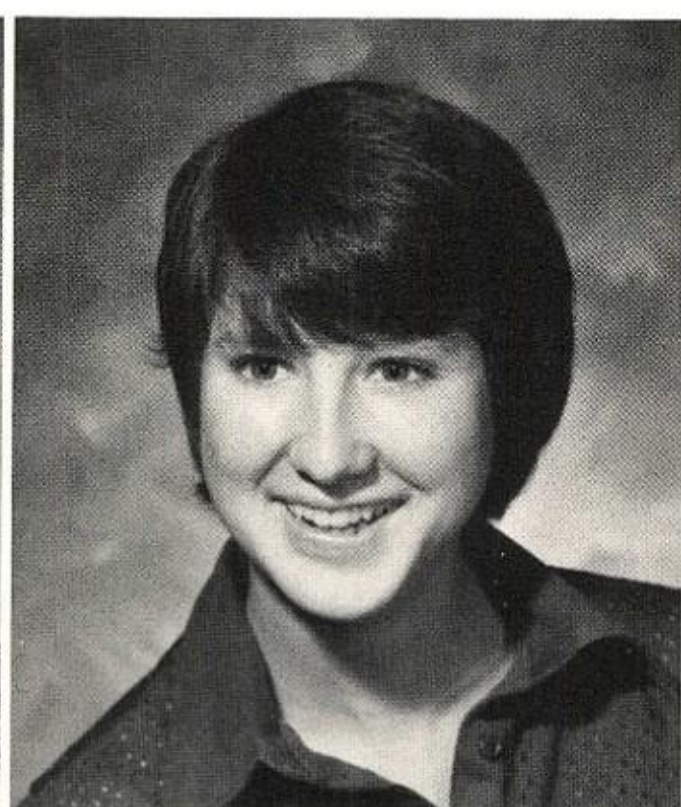
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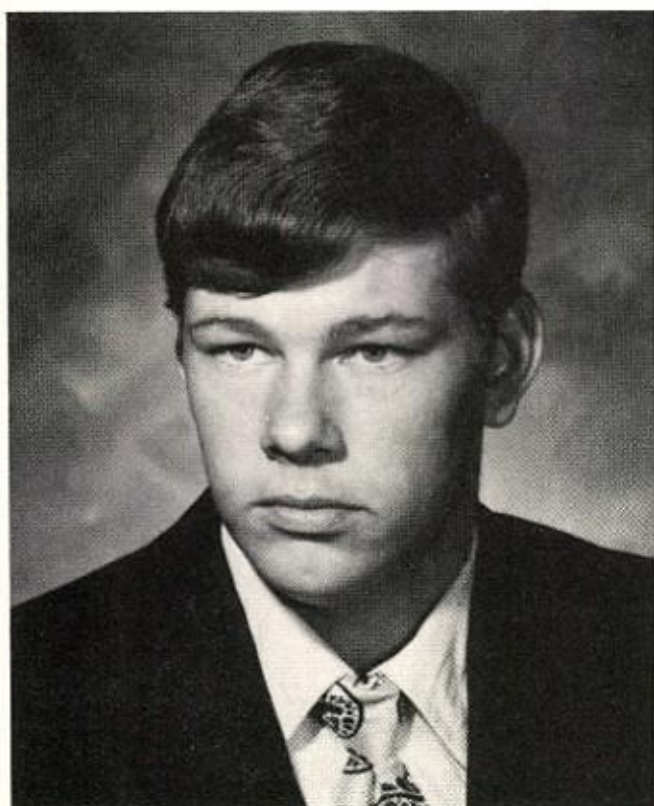
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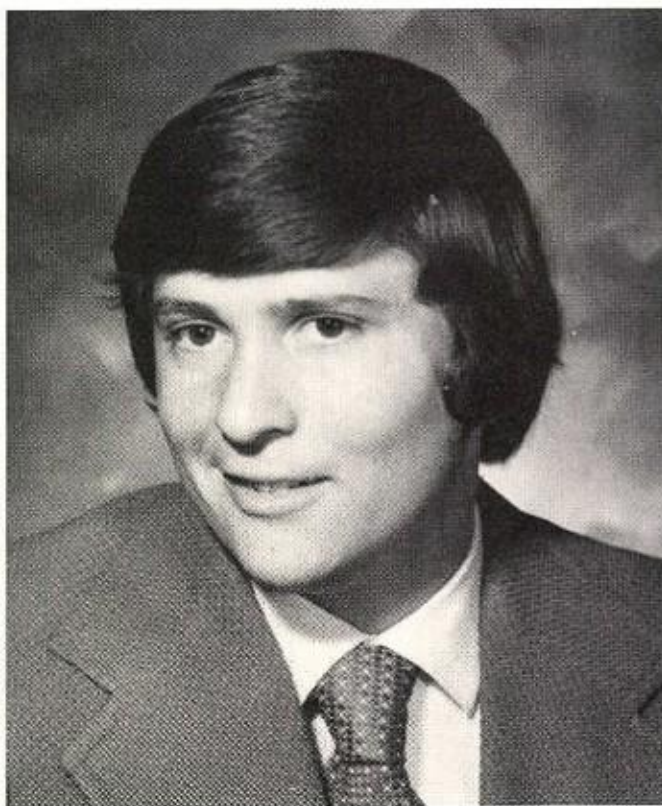
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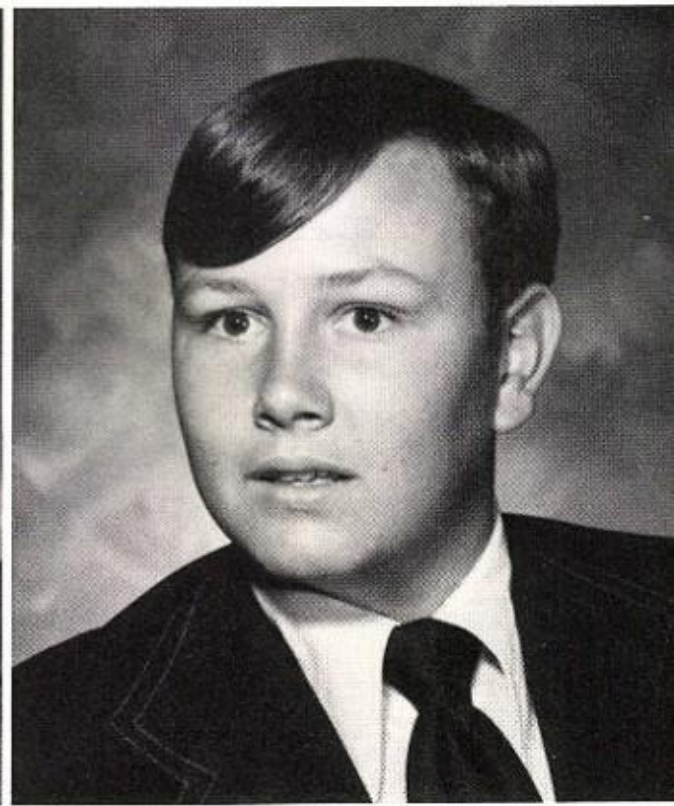
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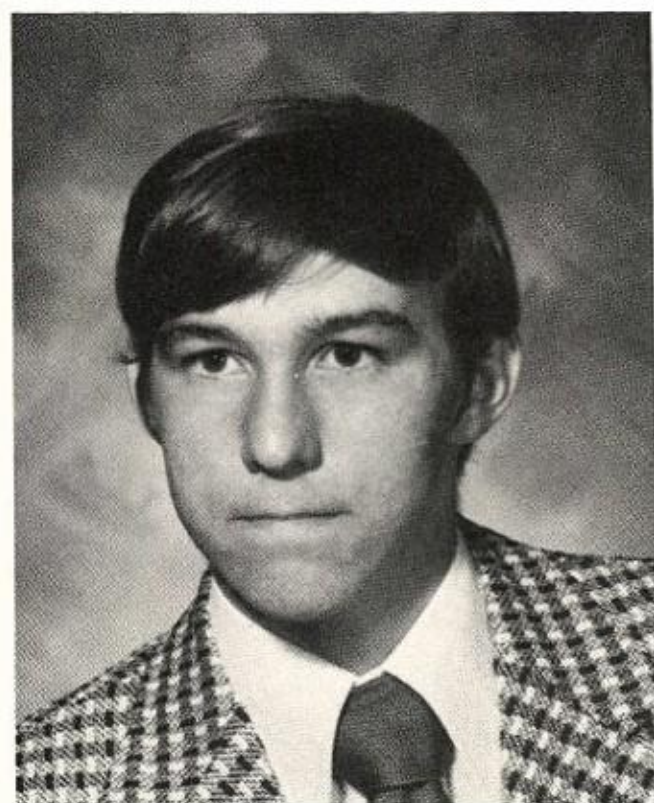
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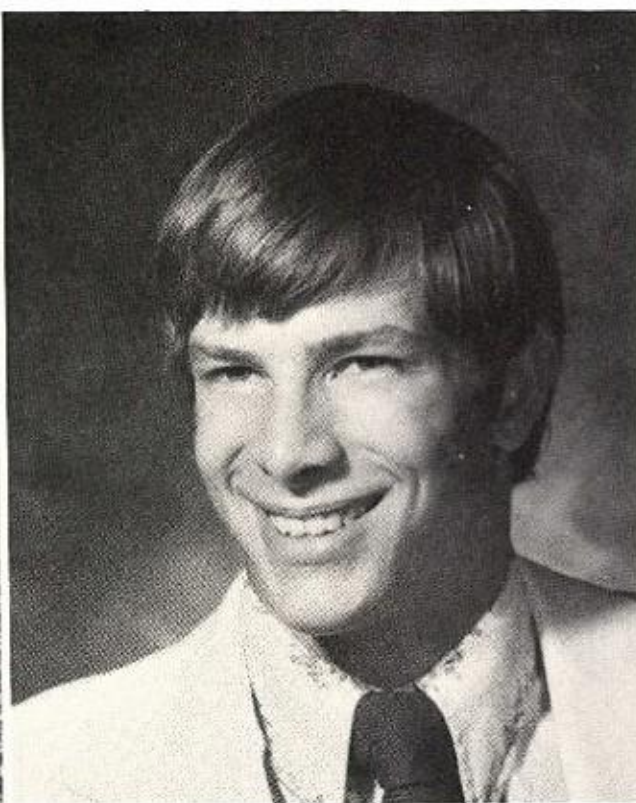
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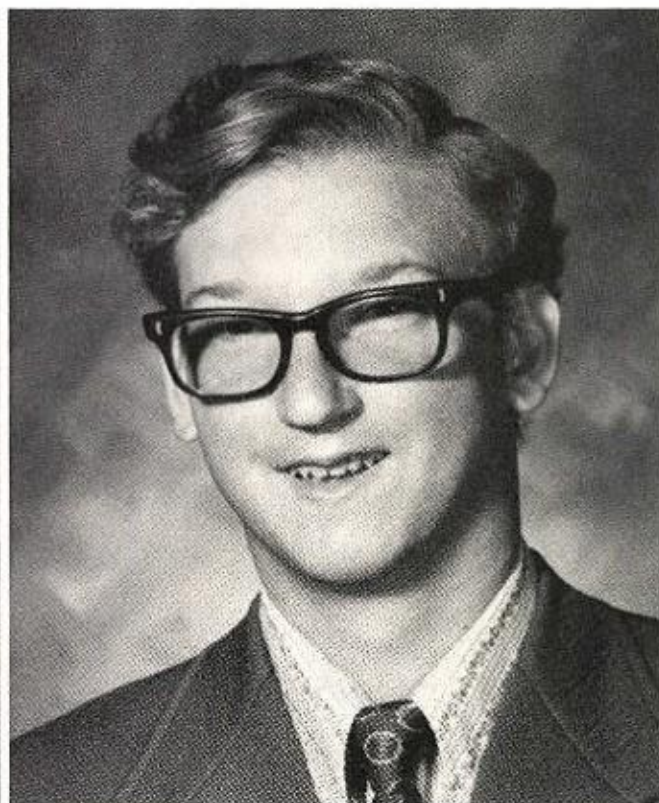
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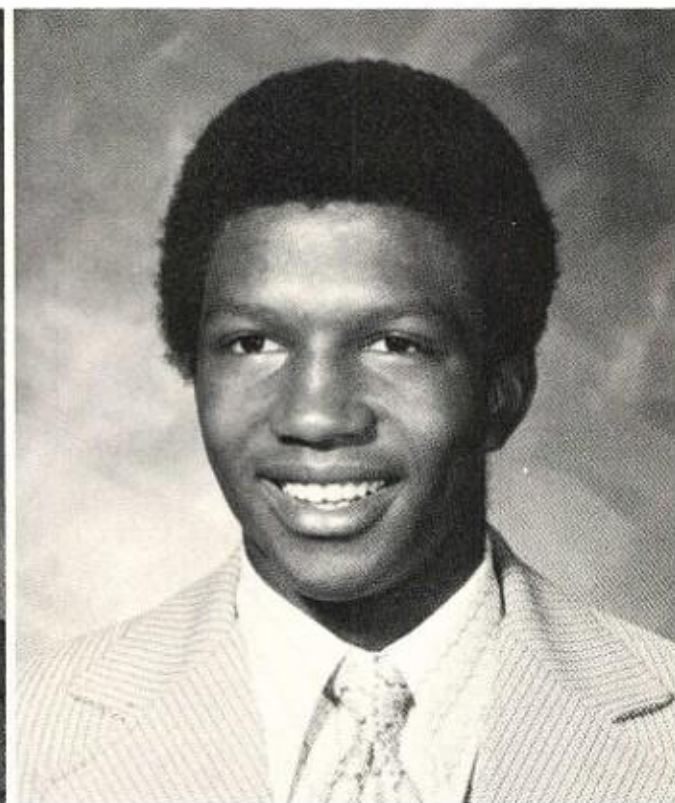
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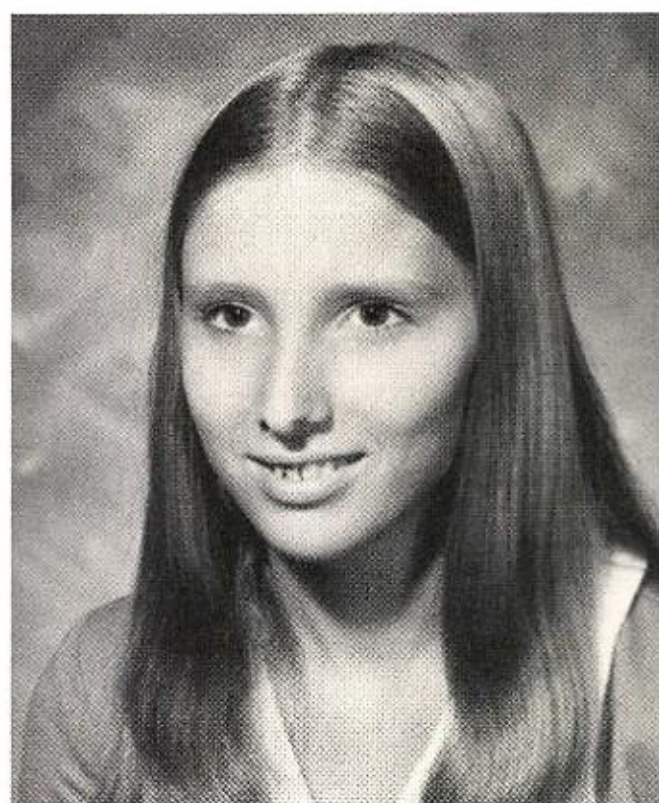
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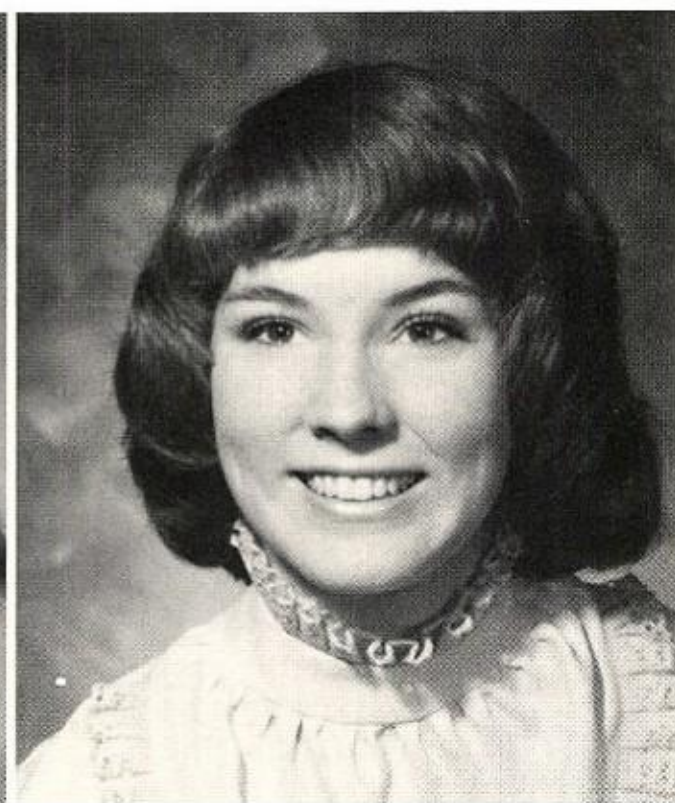
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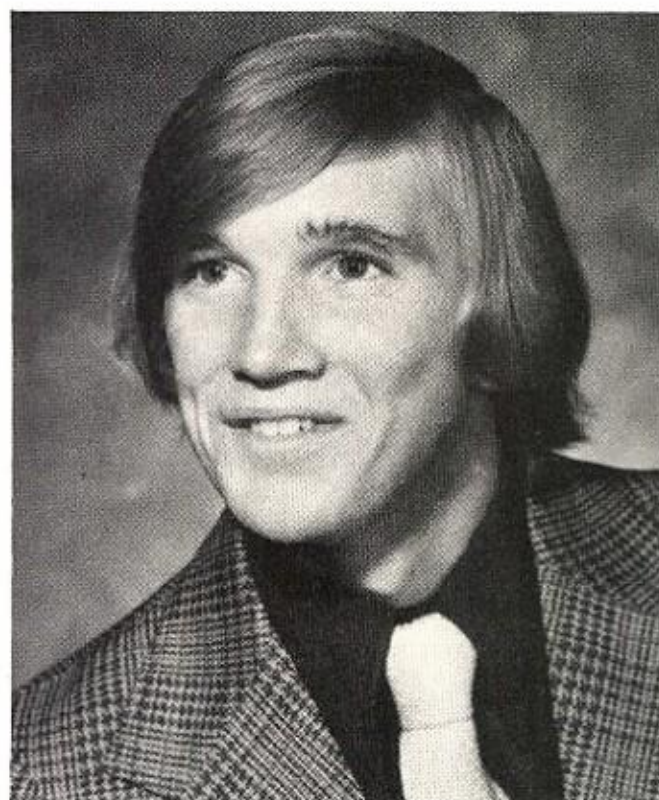
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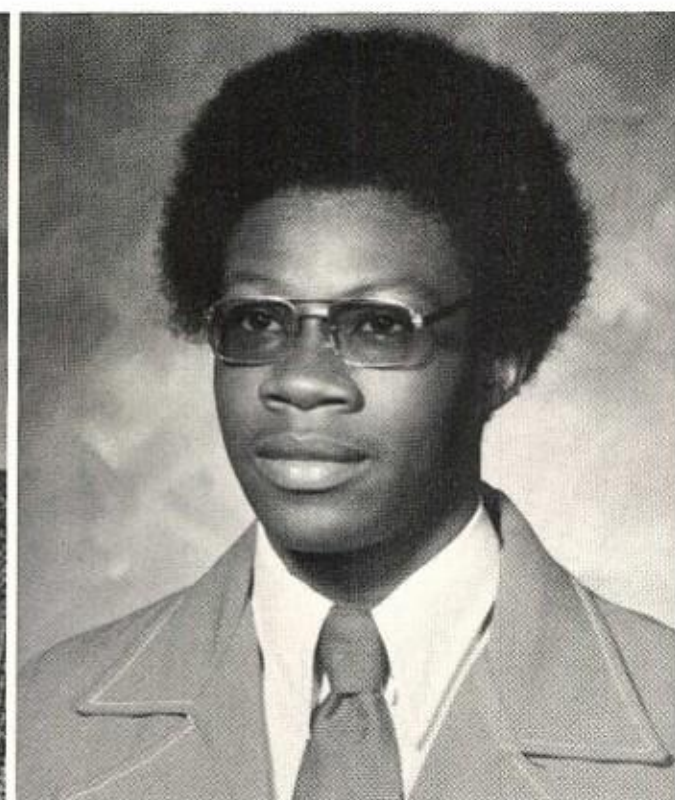
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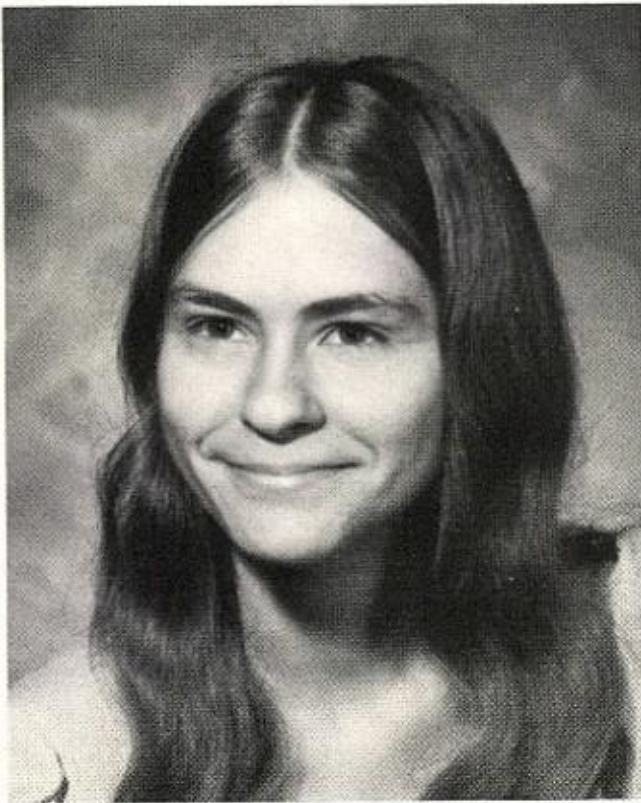
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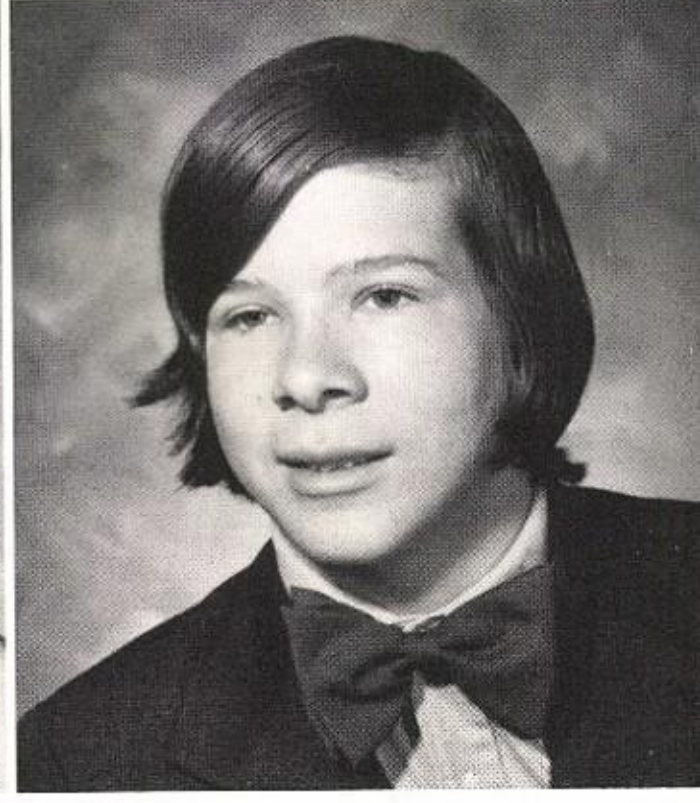
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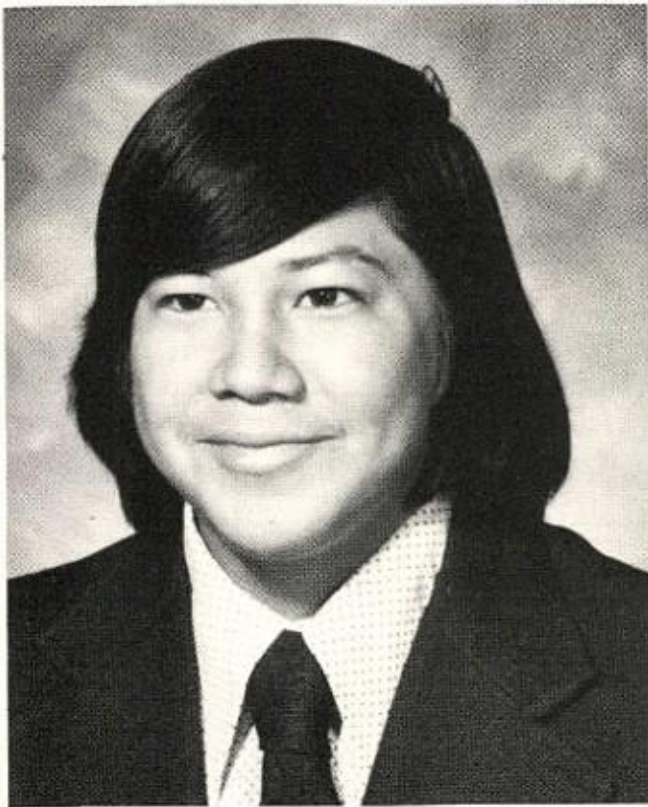
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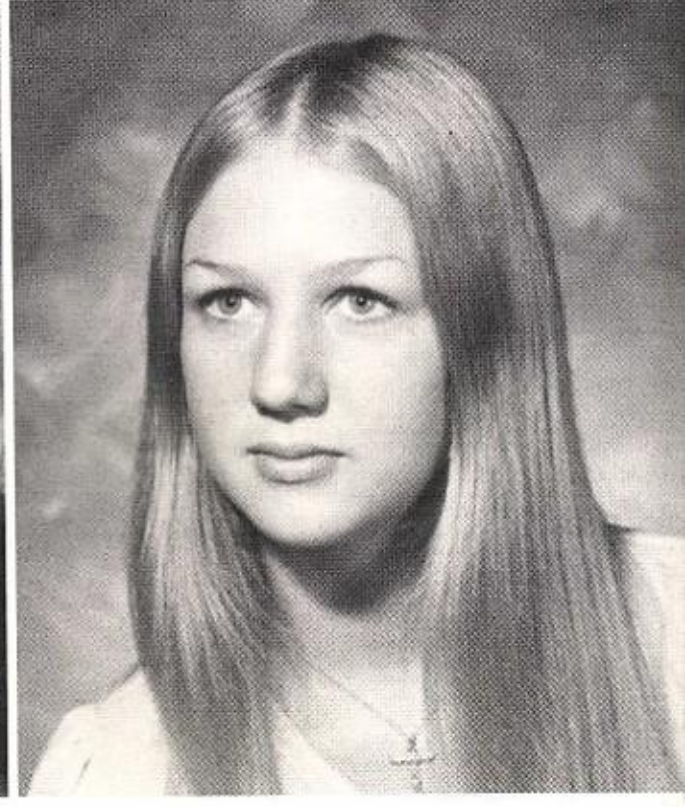
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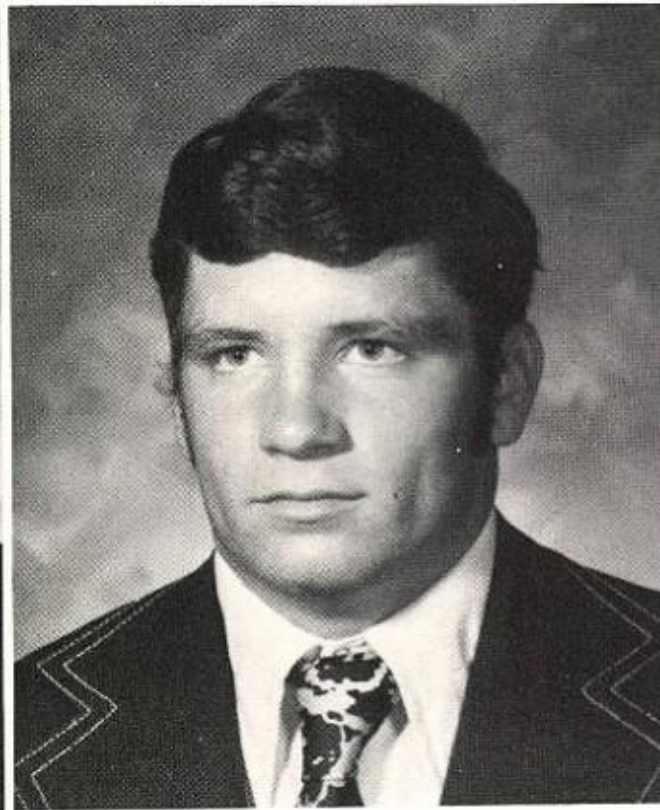
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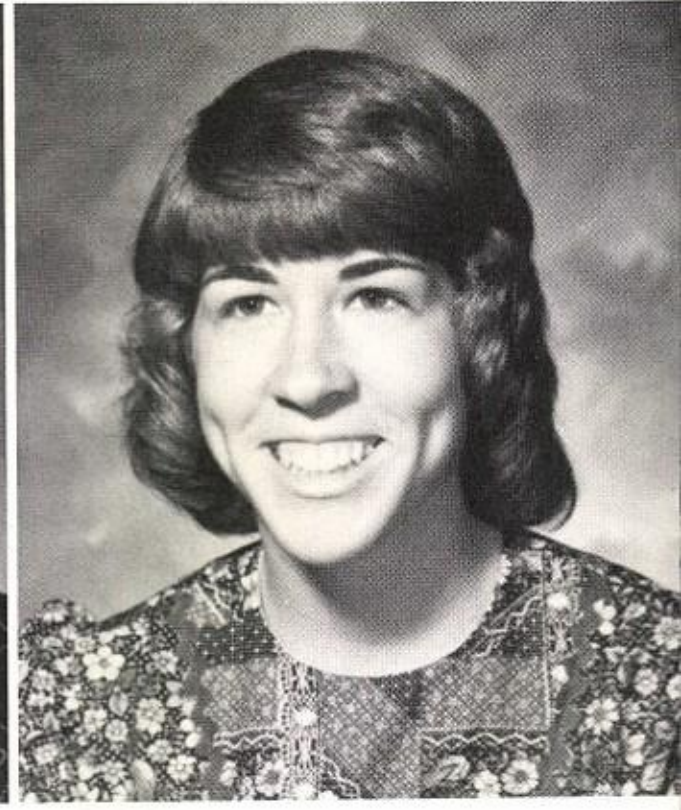
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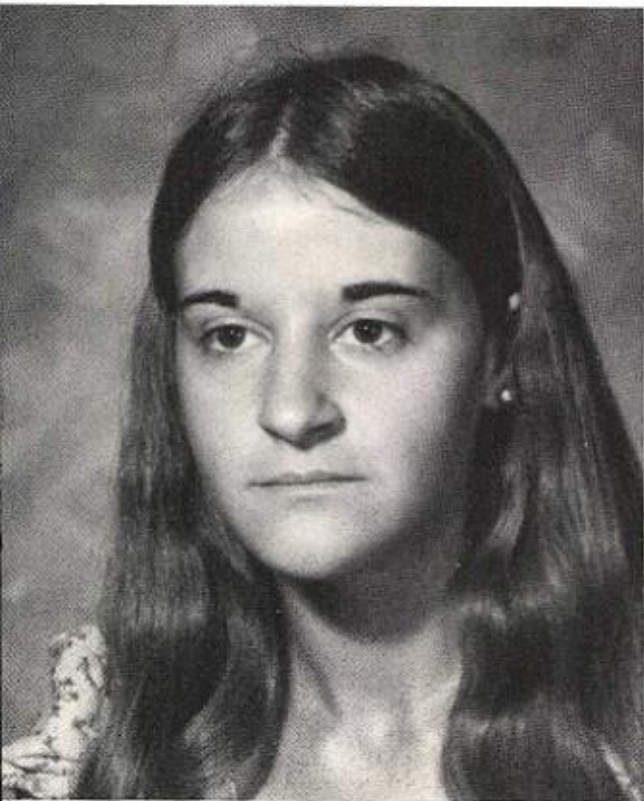
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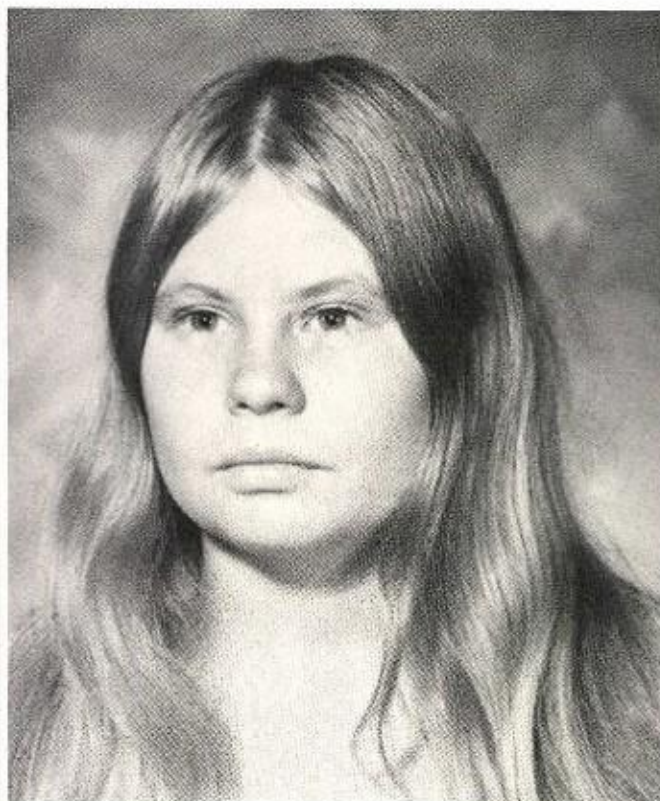
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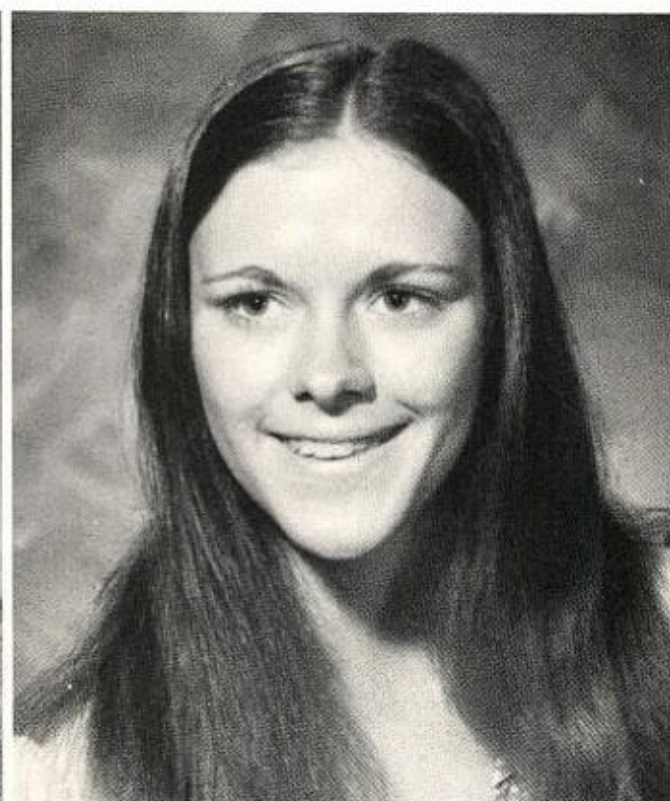
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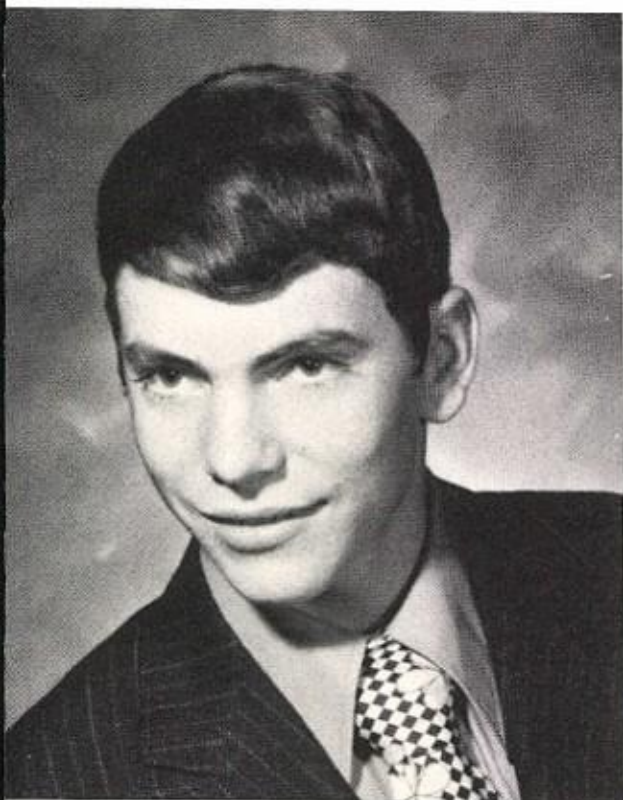
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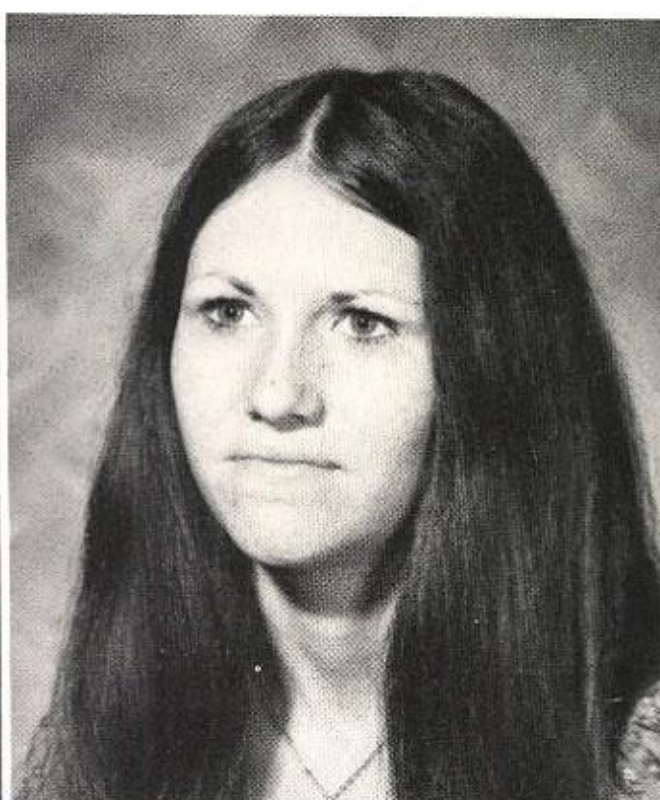
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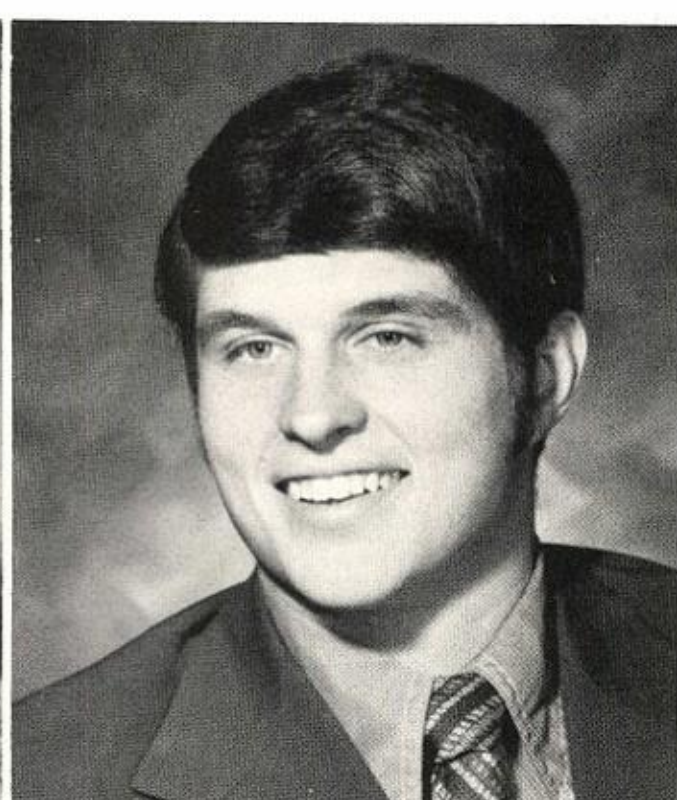
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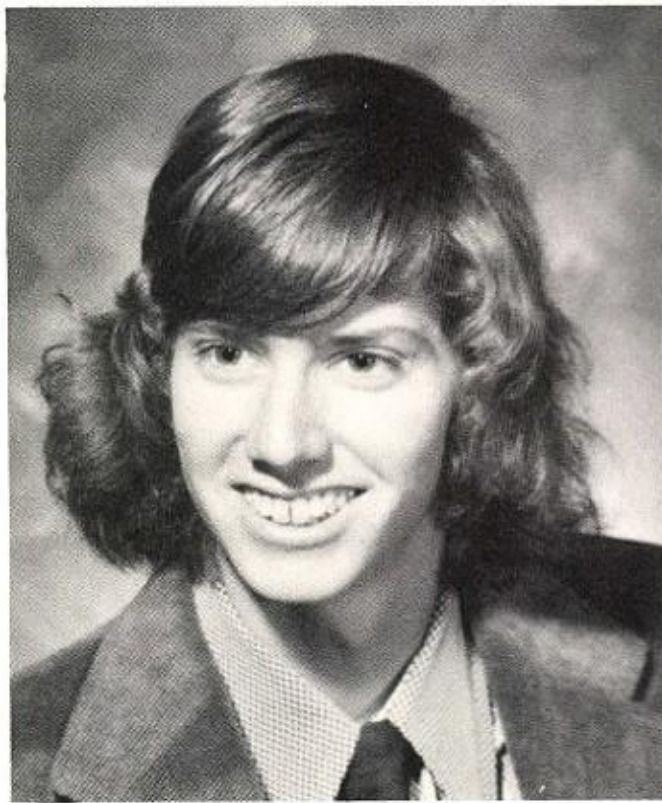
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Kim Wilhite



Ted Williams



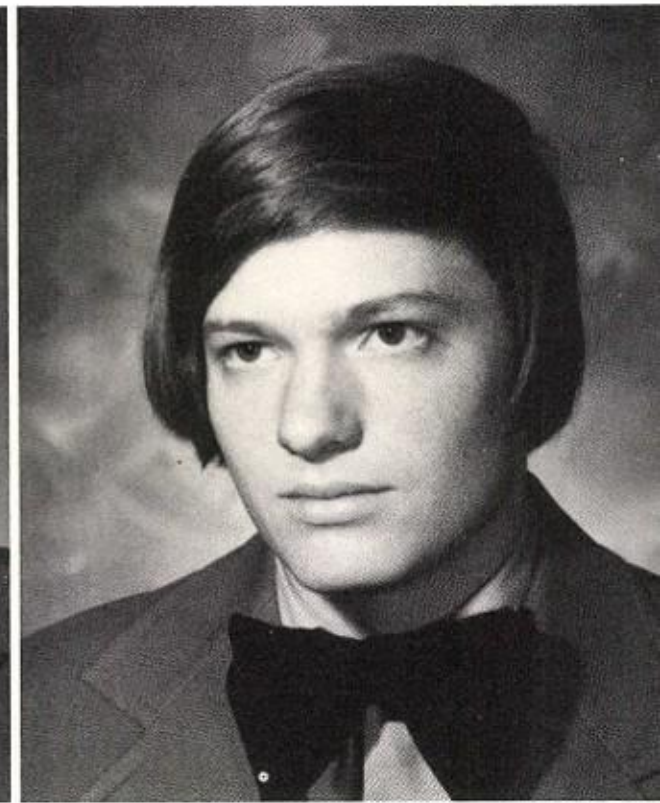
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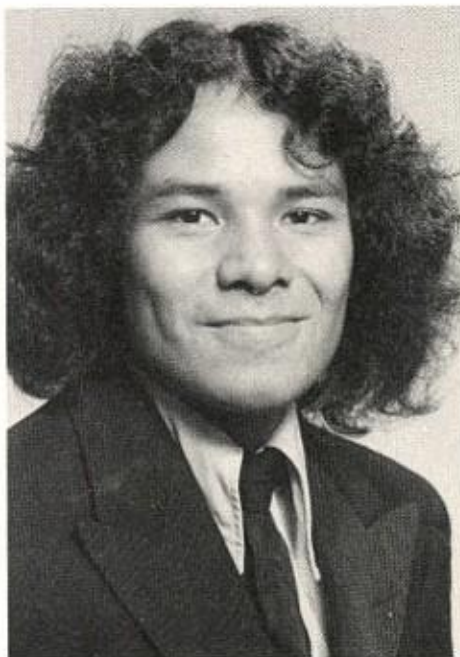
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James Woods



Danny Young



Roy Costillo



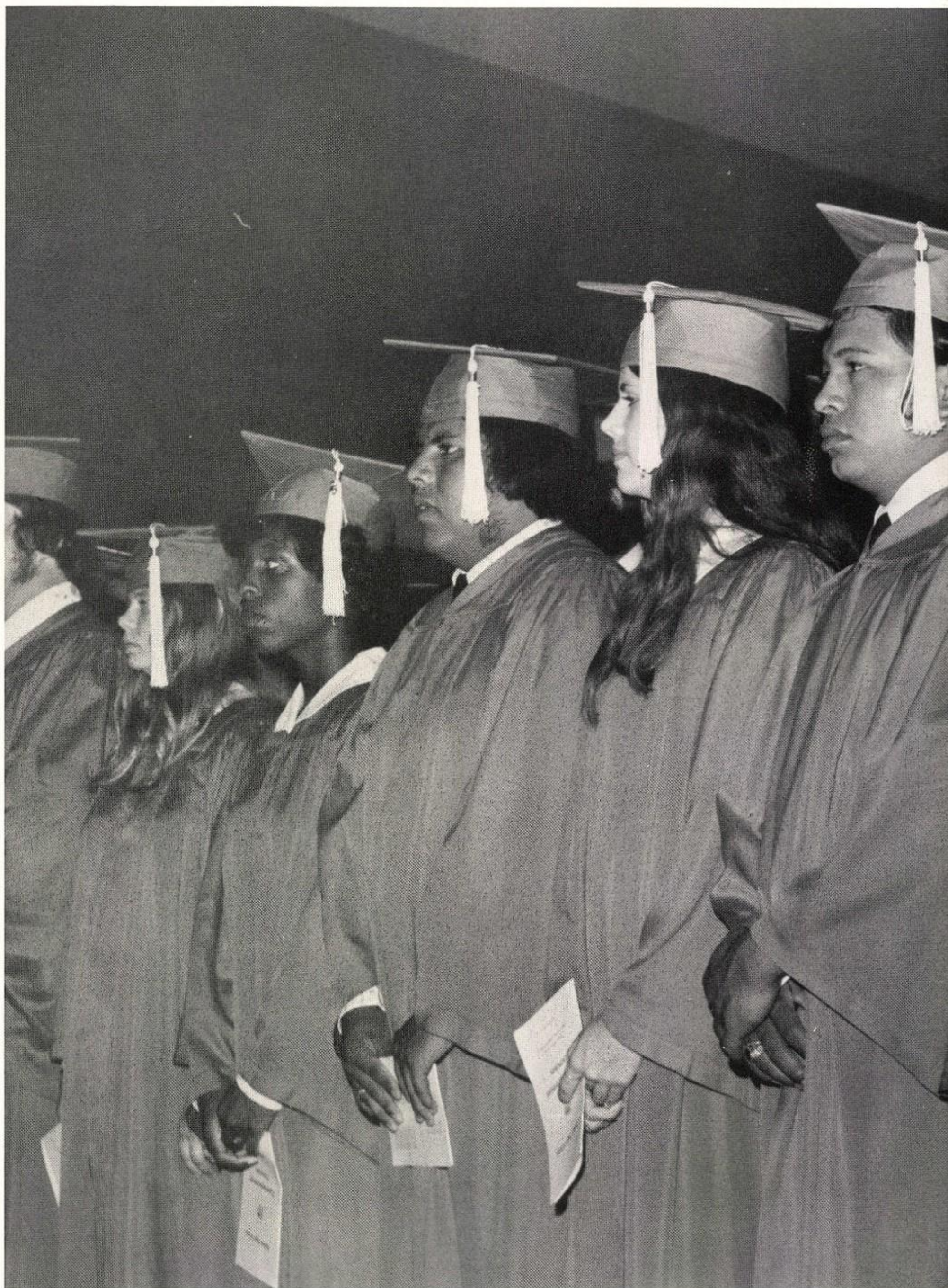
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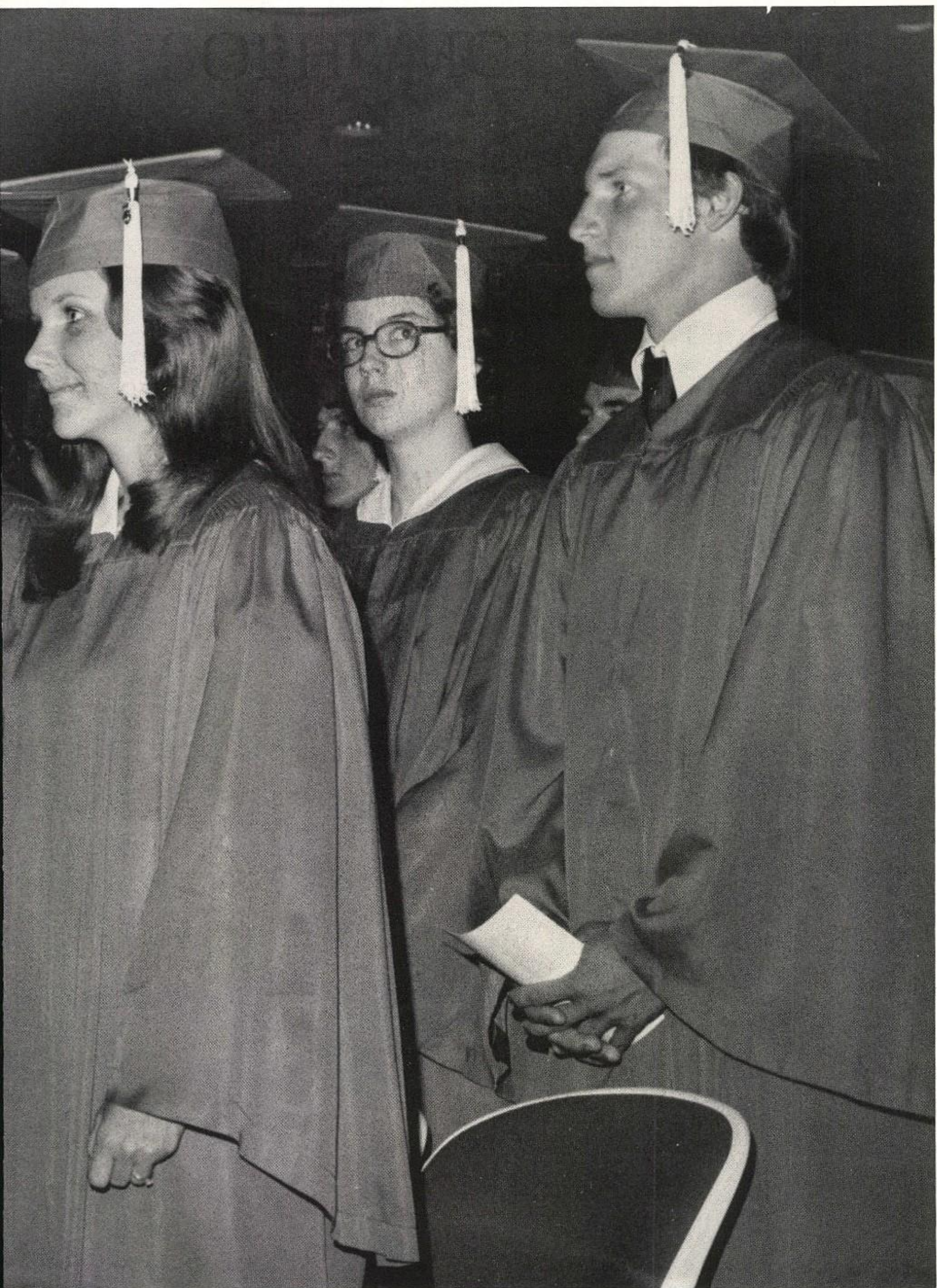


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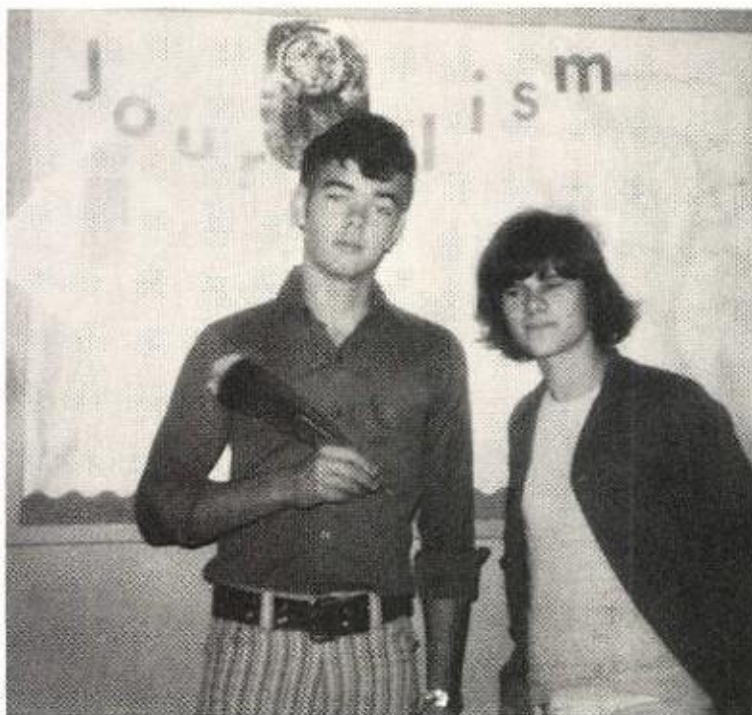




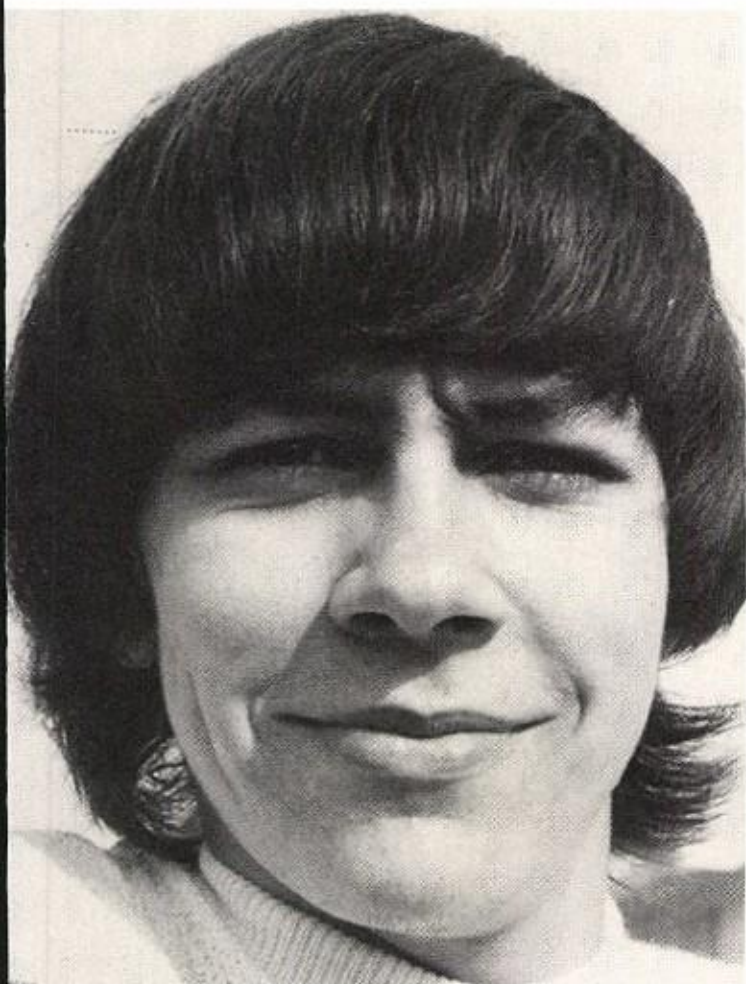
JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Lee Russell, President; Teresa Stark, Vice-President; Jennifer Ash, Secretary; Carrie Dingus, Parliamentarian; Laurel Sparks, Treasurer.





JUNIORS— ALMOST THERE



Chris Lee and Charmayne Dusek are deep in thought about their Junior year.

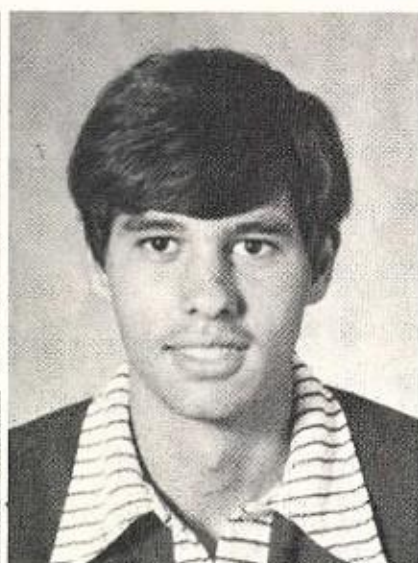
Bobby Wulf and Darrell Beauchamp worked hard for **THE TIGER** this past year.

Lionel Vera keeps his smile through even the toughest times.

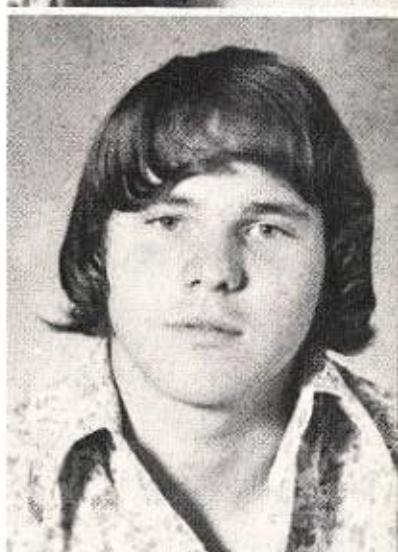
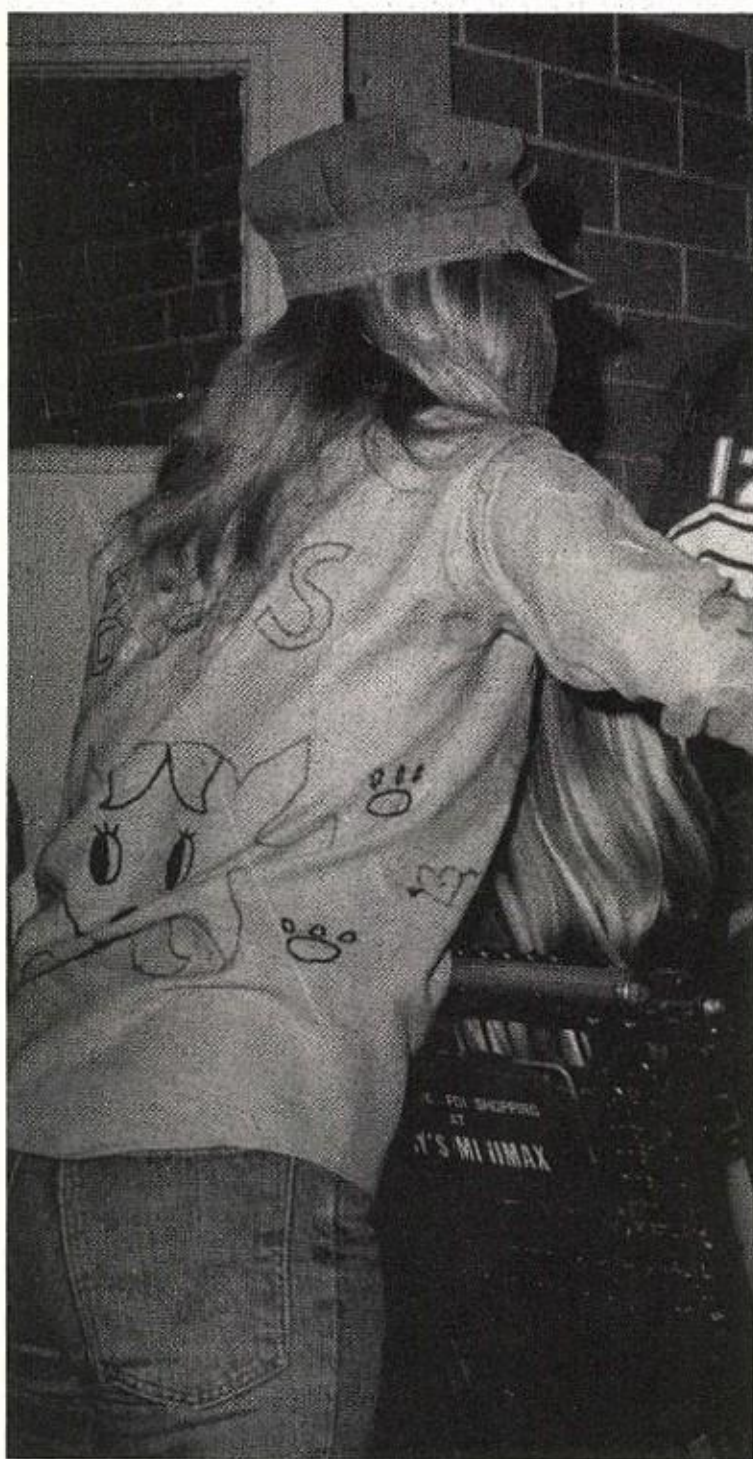
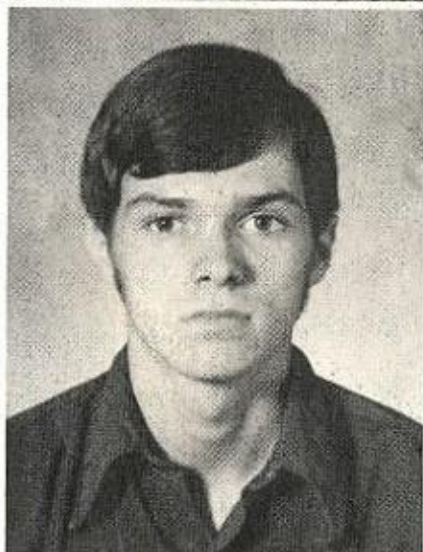
Between classes, Carrie Dingus and Stan Burk enjoy each other's company.

Before classes is always a fun time in the morning.

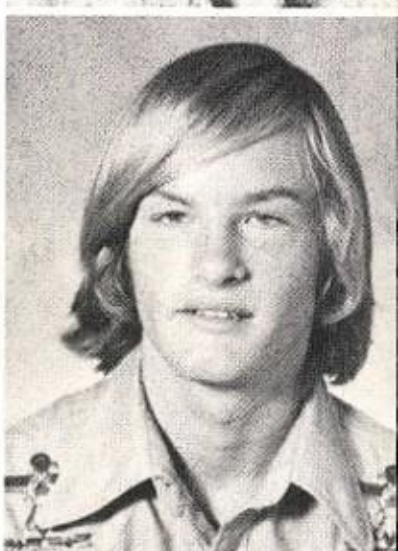
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Sheila Alexander
Cheryl Alford



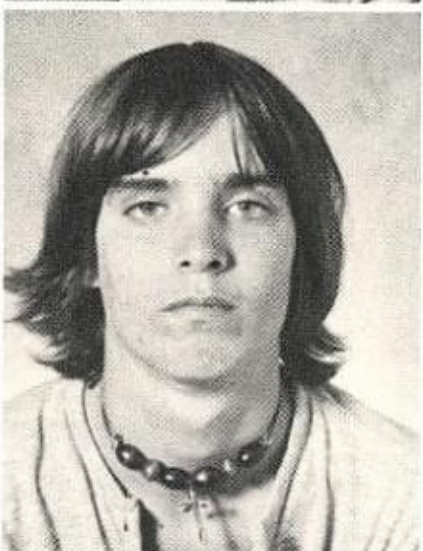
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David Allen



Sheila Altum
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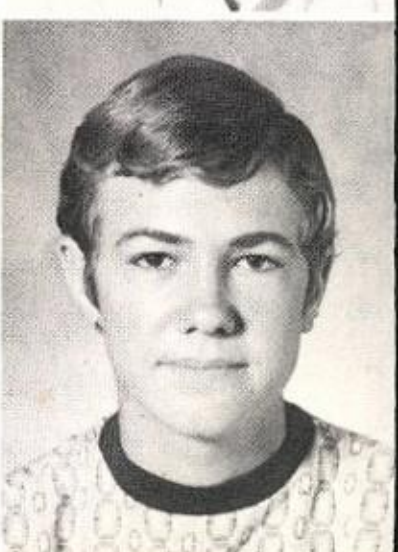


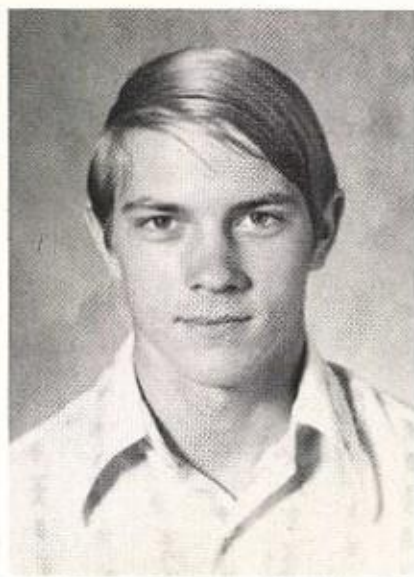
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John Ansay



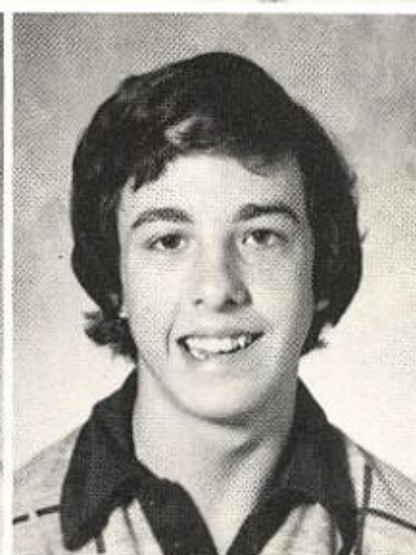
Janet Stewart brings up the rear of a spirit line for a pep rally.

Lynee Armstrong
Jennifer Ash
Robert Atmar
Don Baggerly

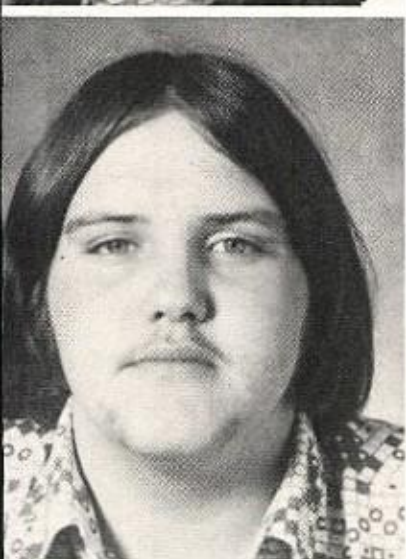




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Dick Bay
Dennis Beach
Darrell Beauchamp



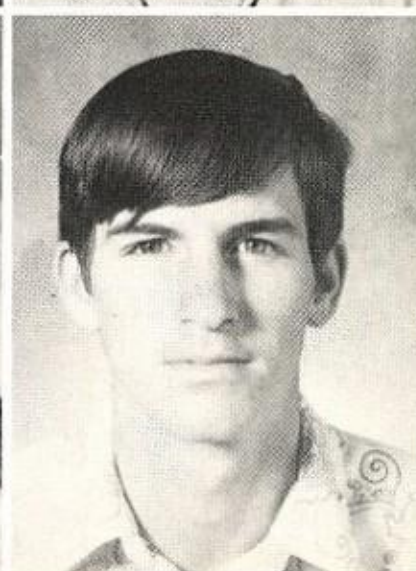
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Jean Blair
Lewis Boren
Mitchell Borgeson



Jesse Bowden
Melinda Bridges
Cathy Brown
George Brown



Robert Brown
Stan Burk
Tommy Burkett
Jackie Burris



Steven Burtchell
Darlene Butler
Jim Button
Roger Byrd

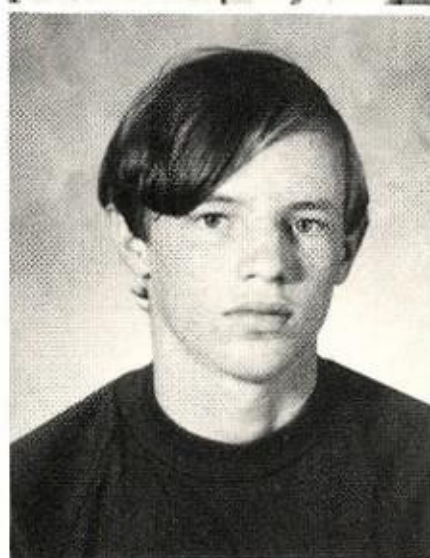
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Ruth Cerecerez



Allen Chaney



Debbie Chrestiansen



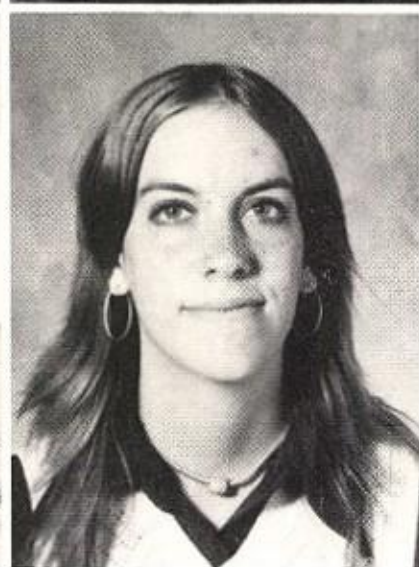
Kathy Churchill
Bobby Colacino
Isabella Caldera
Belinda Carlisle



Enjoying every moment of it, David and Sandy participate in the "50's Day" actions.



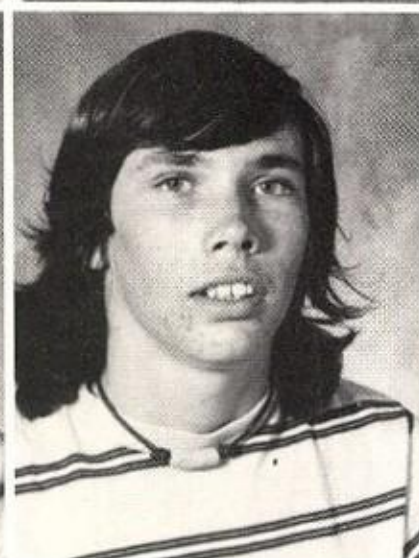
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Peggy Connally
Teresa Cox
Walter Cox



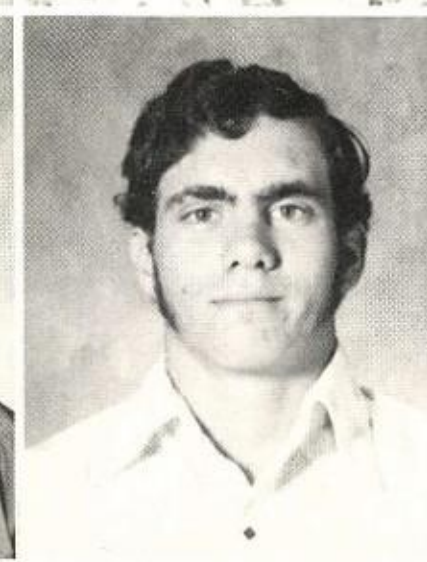
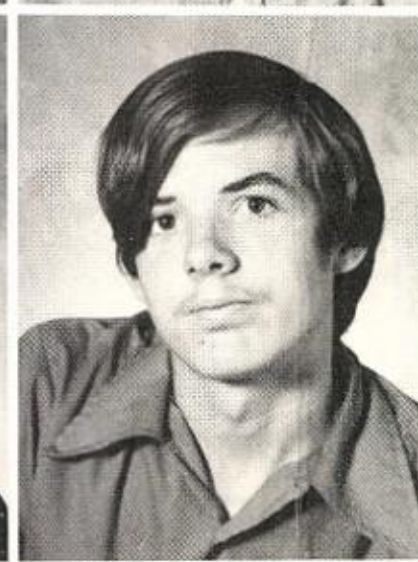
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Diane De LaRosa



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Howard Dermody
Carrie Dingus

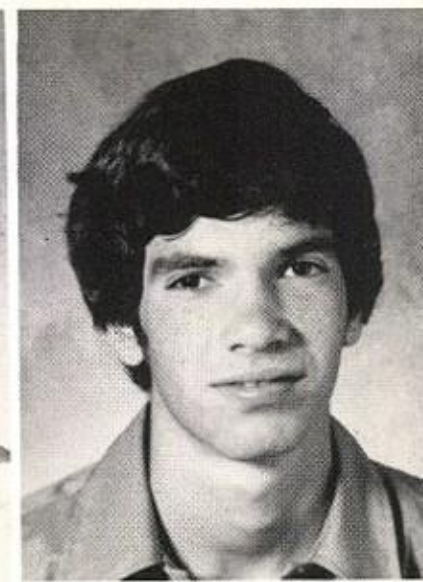
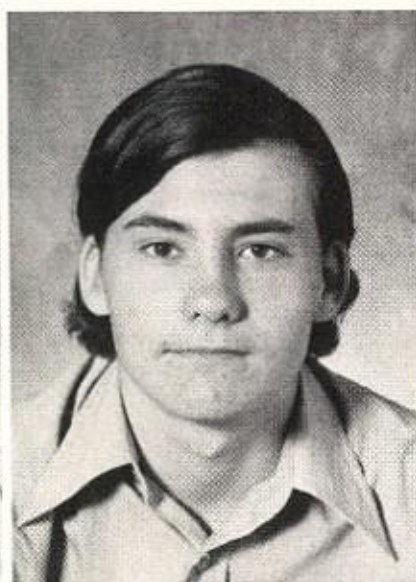
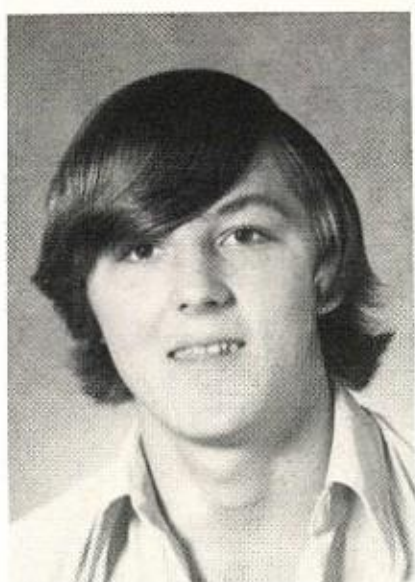


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Alan Drake
Louis Driska
Diana Dulany

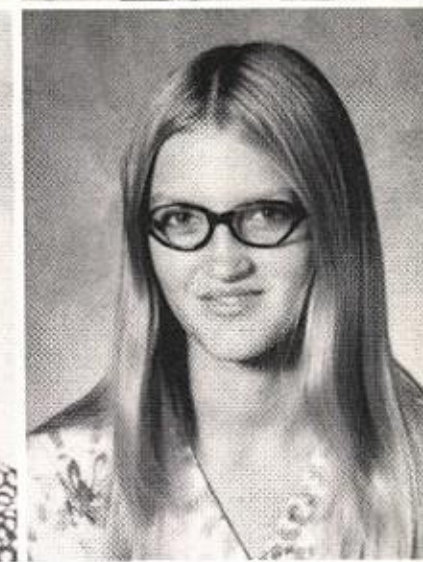
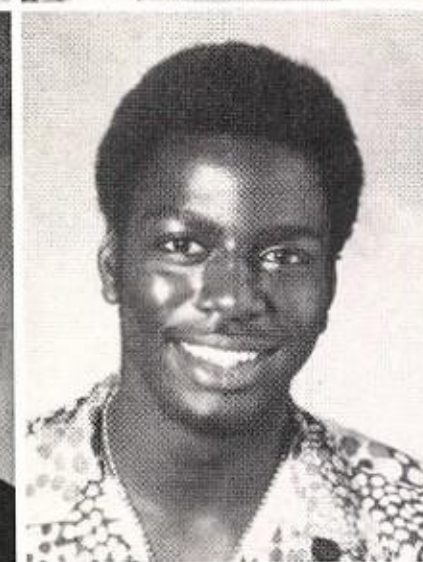
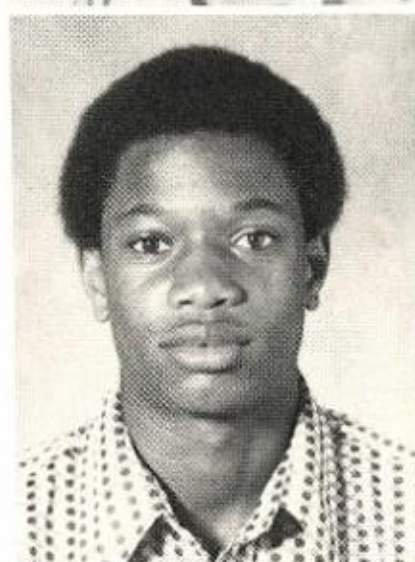


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Don Eastridge

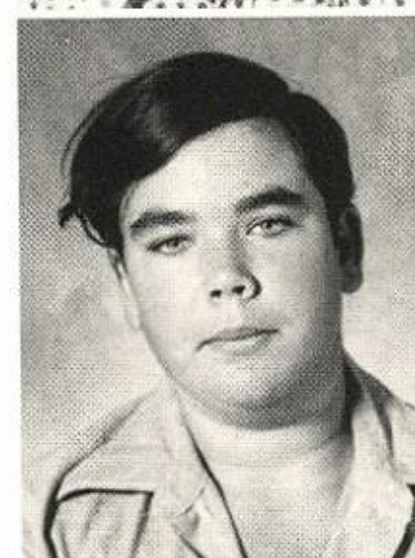
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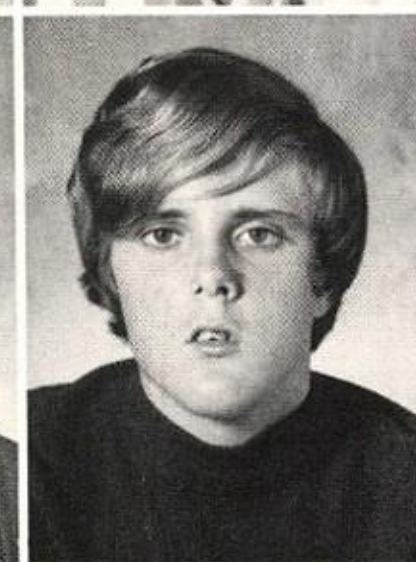
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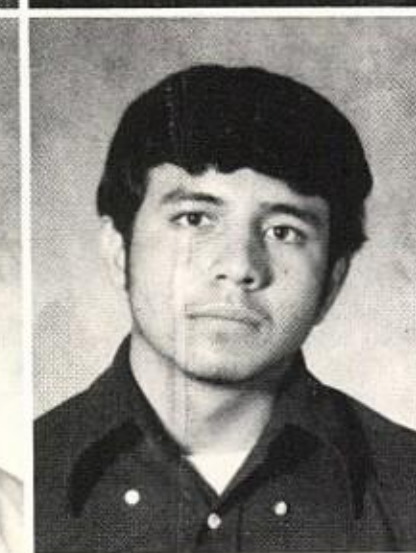
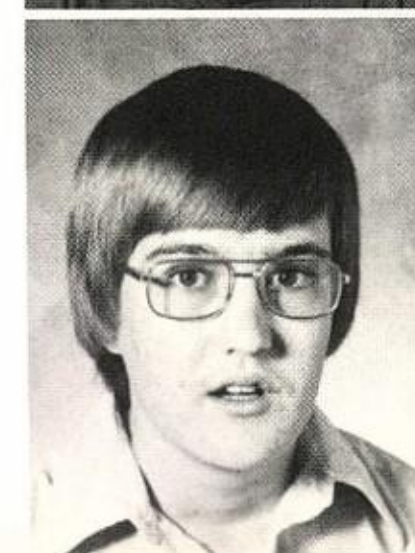
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Jo Ann Fort

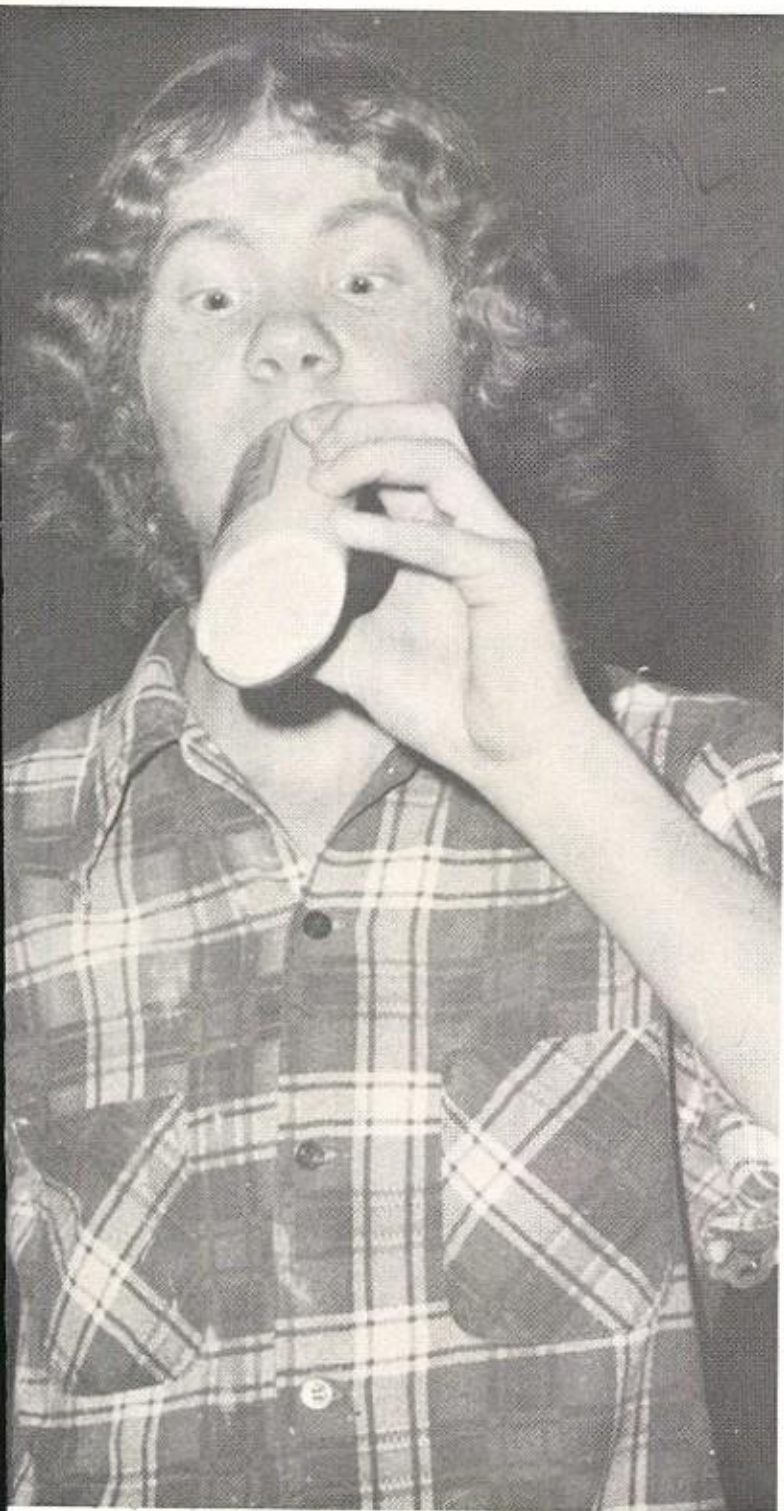


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Bobby Furnace
Richard Garza
Sandy Gholson

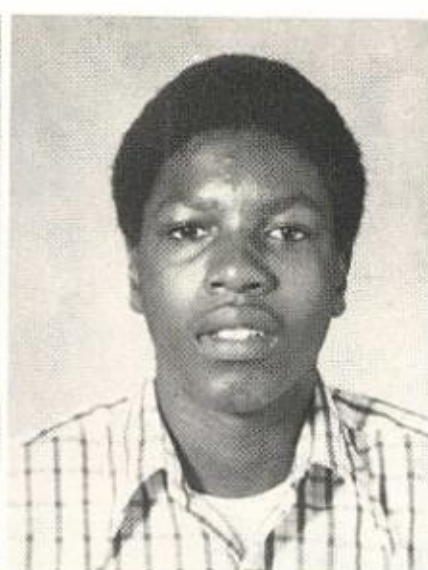


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Roy Gomez
Willie Gooding
Molly Gosney

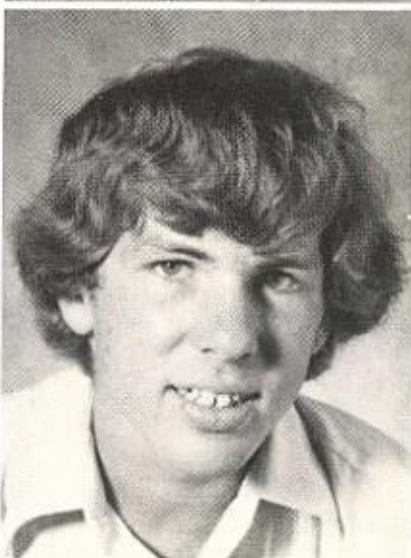




Andy Sanderford drools over the make-up for "Calamity Jane."



Mechalle Gossett
Tony Green



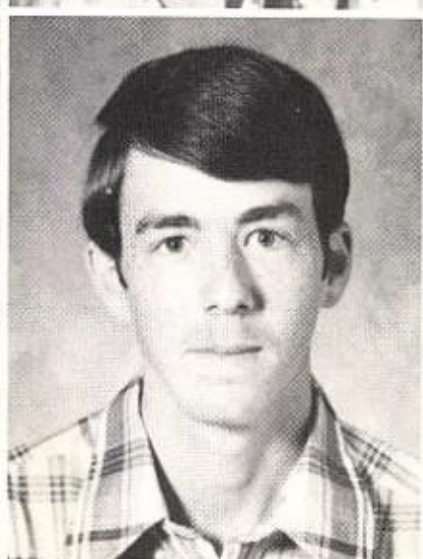
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Norma Guerrero
David Guffey

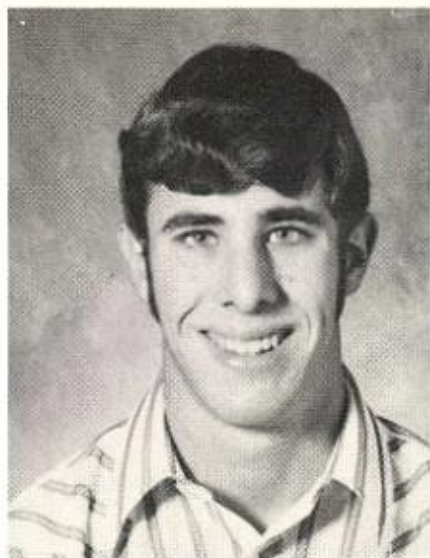


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Kenneth Guthrie
Bill Harlow



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Stan Hanes
Bettie Harvell
Melissa Hays

Roy Heartfield

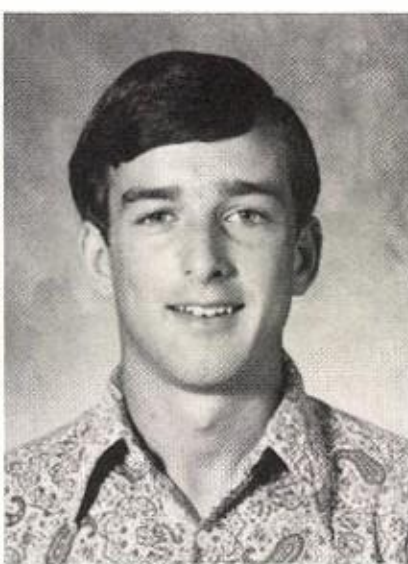
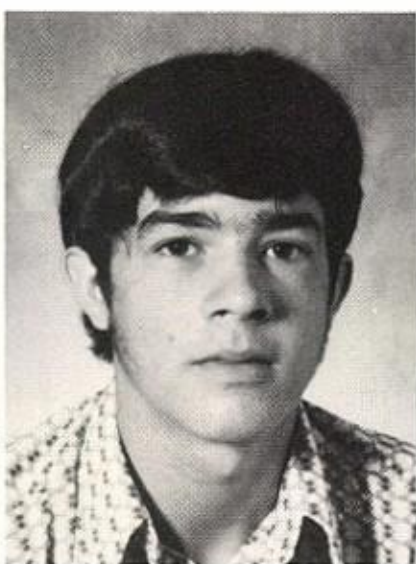


Larry Herald



The high point of the year for Juniors is picking out their Senior rings.

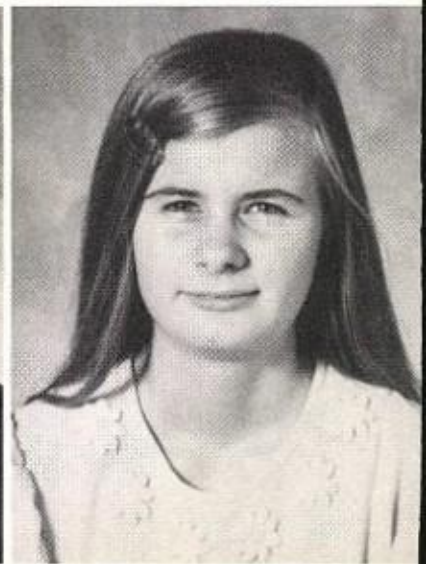
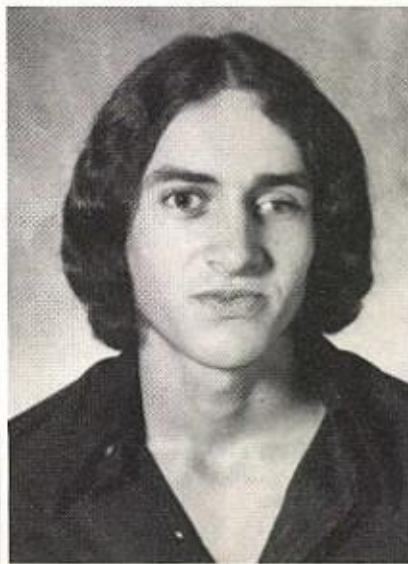
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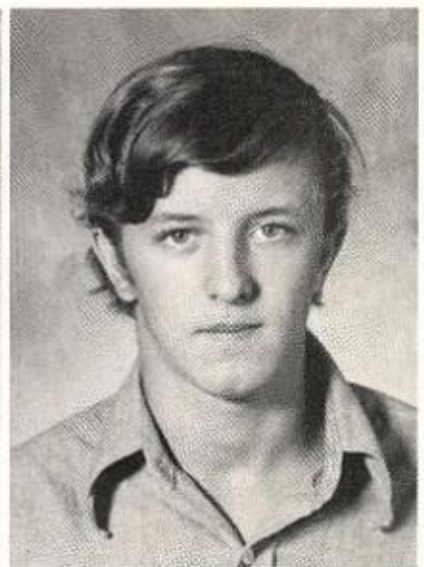


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Merle Hileman
Daniel Hogan



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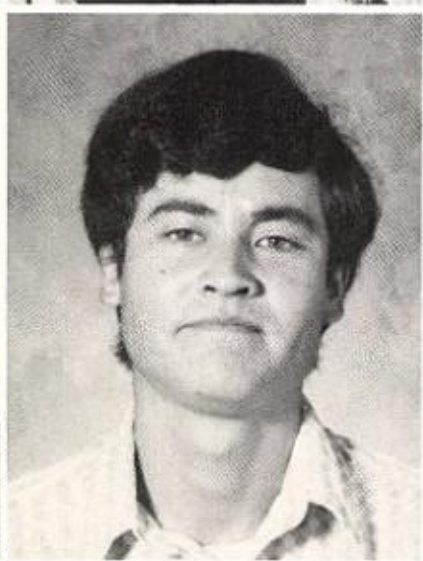
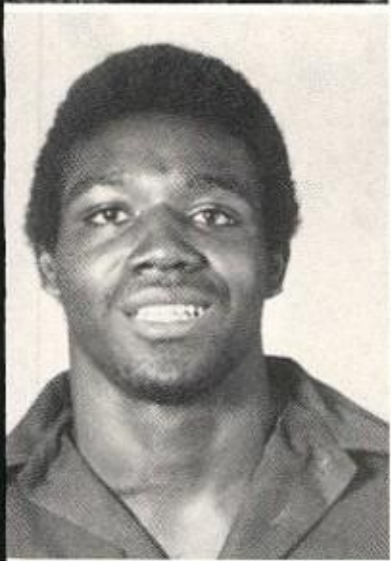




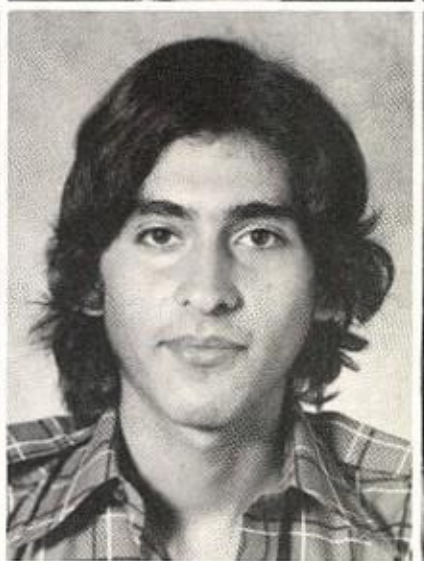
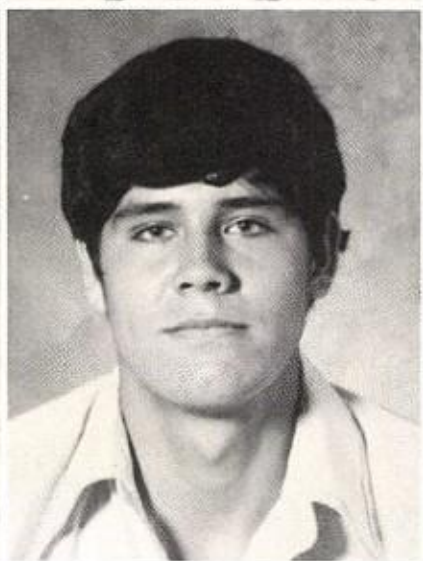
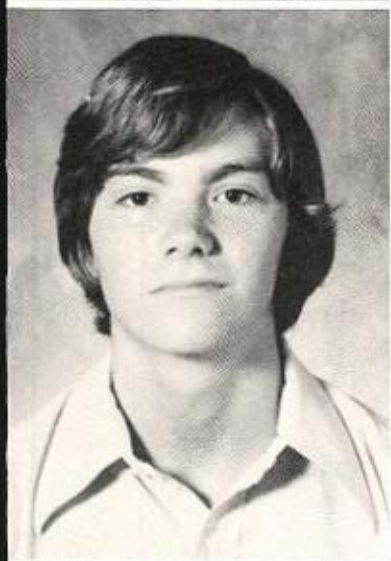
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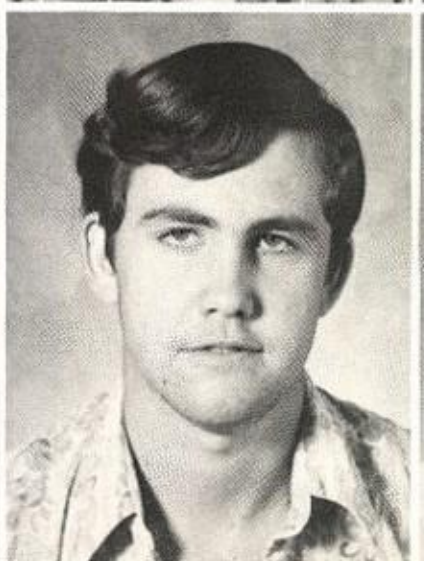
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Jody Kifer



Anthony Kimble
Tommy Konola
Randy Lawson
Wanda Leach



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Al Lopez
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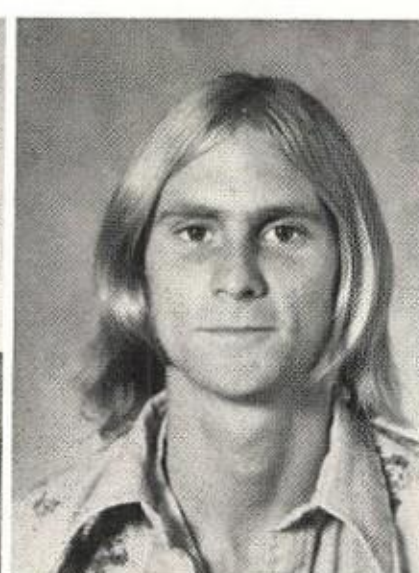
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JUNIOR CLASS FAVORITES

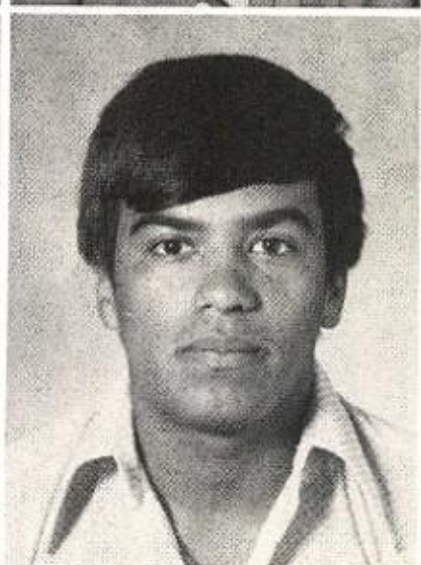
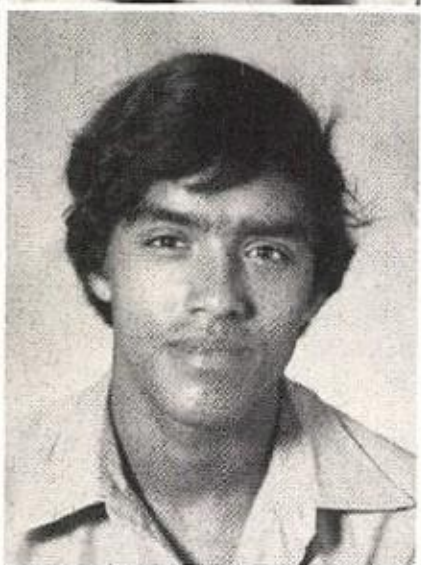
LEE RUSSELL

CARRIE DINGUS





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Patty Meyer
Mitch Mensch
Terry Minica



Jane Minor
James Morin
Sam Morin
Daniel Narvaiz



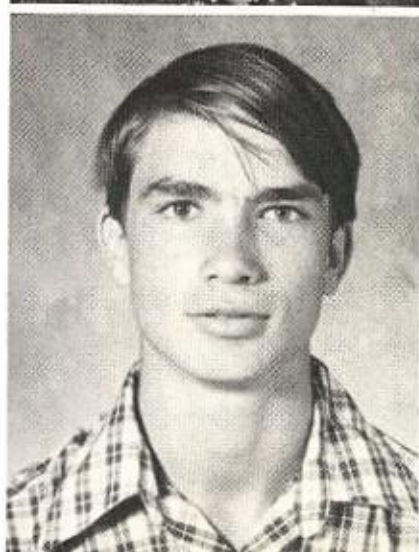
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Janese Nellis
Tommy Newton
Kay Nichols



Carrie Loew walks to meet Ricky Woody for lunch.

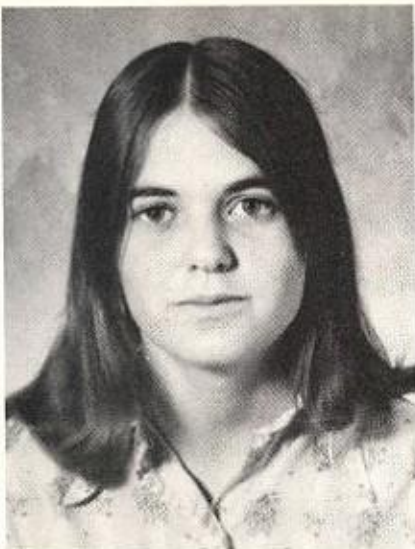


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Doug Northam



Billy Oglesby
Peter Ohlhaver

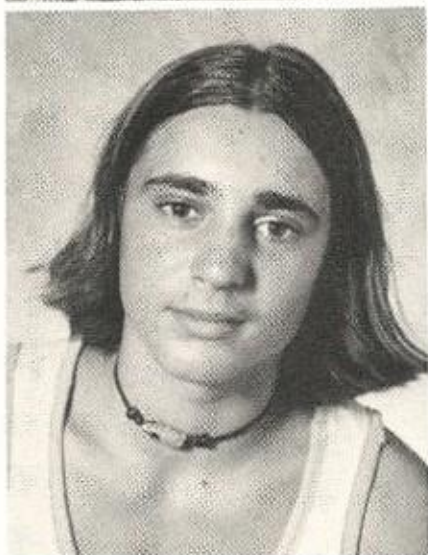
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Sandra Owens
Randal Park
Mary Patterson



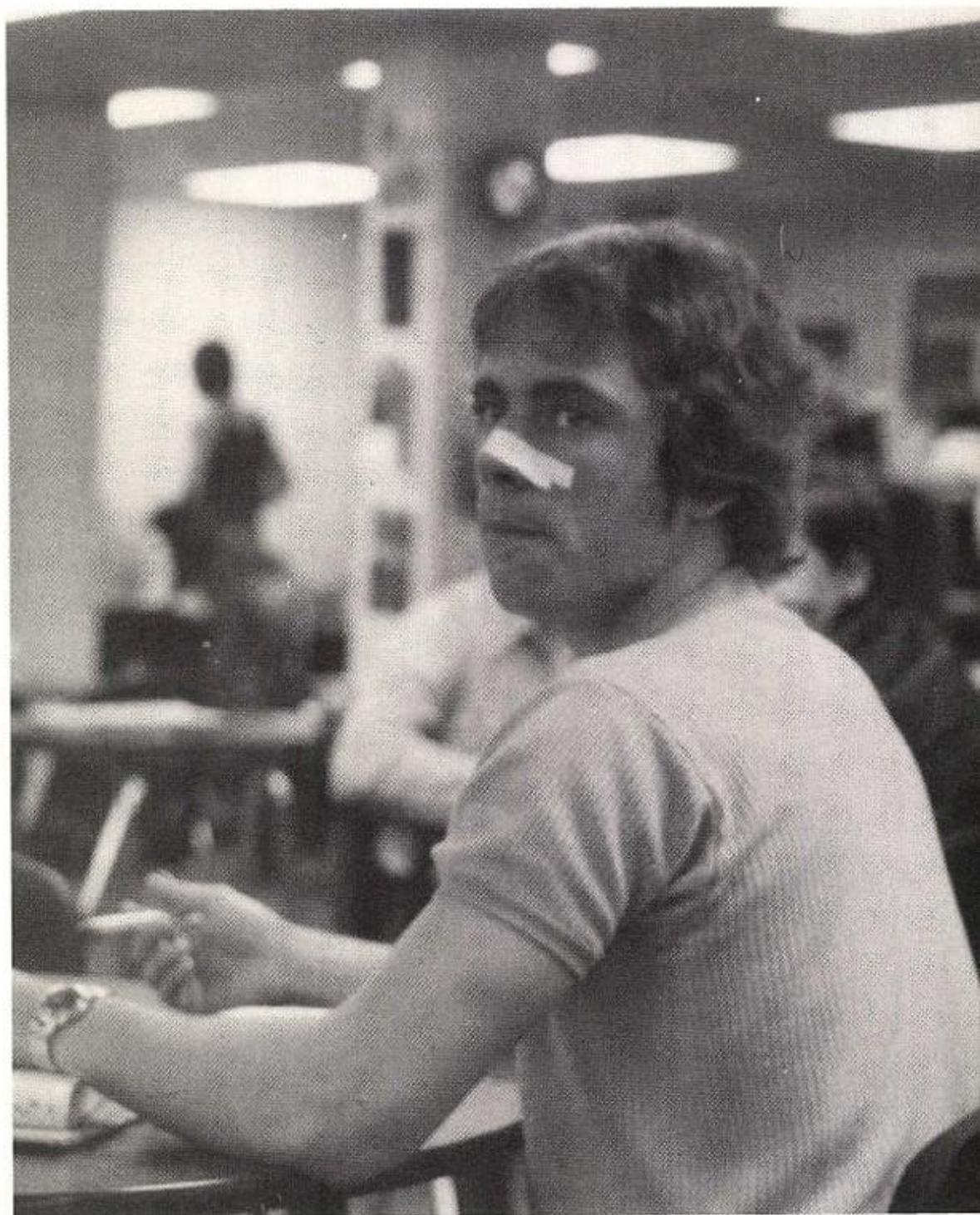
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Mike Pette



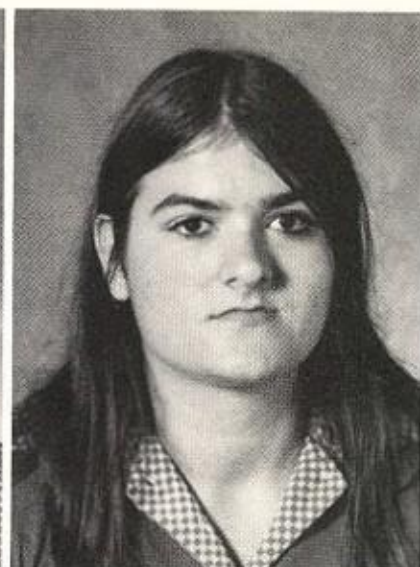
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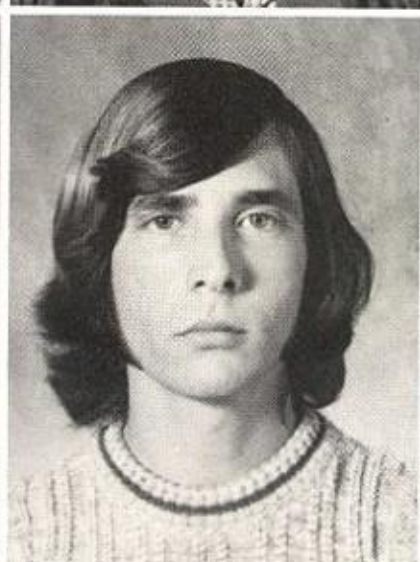
Bobby Colacino gives his full attention in English class.

Mike Phillips
Bonita Pierce
Brenda Powell
Charles Presnall

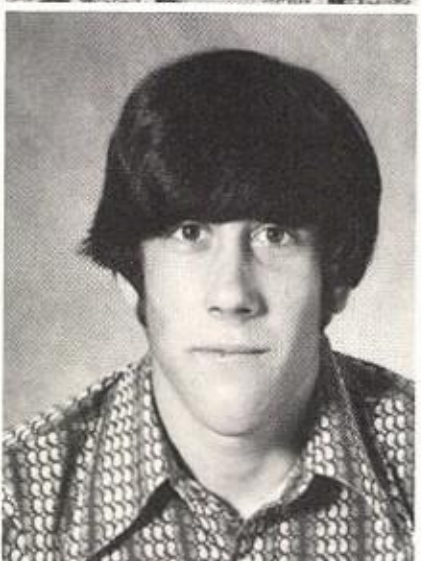
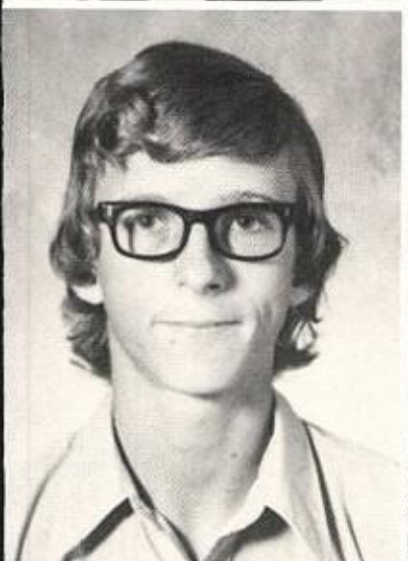




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Debbie Reagan
Wayne Reid



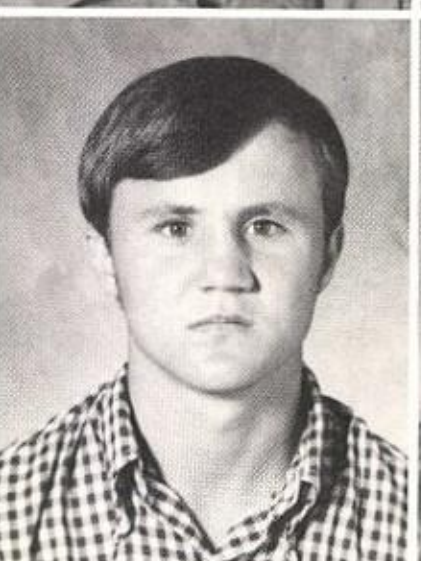
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Tommy Richter
David Rivera



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John Rockholt
Kathy Rodgers
Robin Roesner

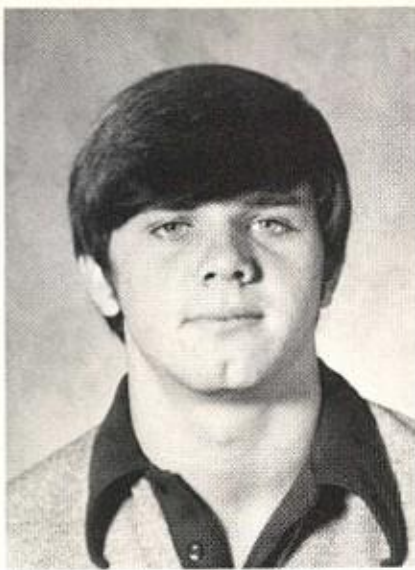


Ricky Ruiz
Kathryn Russell
Lee Russell
Steve Sabotka



Sandy Sanderford
Garry Sanford
Beverly Schmidt
Isabella Schnell

Robert
Schumaker
Bobby Shafer
Paula Sharpe
Gretchen Sheiler



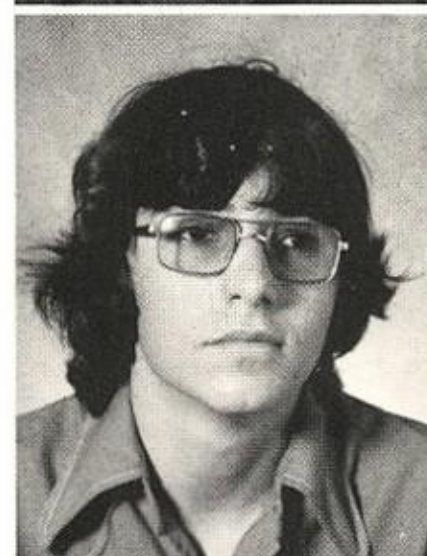
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Randall Sinclair
Jean Skirvin



Billy Sulak
Karen Smith



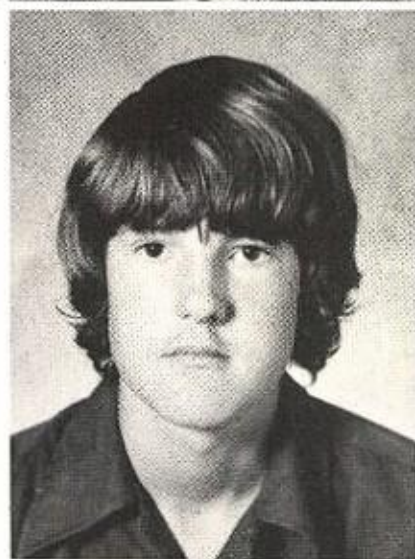
Coach Wilcox's Health class learn

Laurel Sparks
Felicia Standard
Teresa Stark
Angie Steger





Jack Stewart
Janet Stewart
Lydia Taylor
Carledon Tessmer



Tommy Thornton
Donna Thweatt



James Titlow
Joi Tolkmitt



Barbara True
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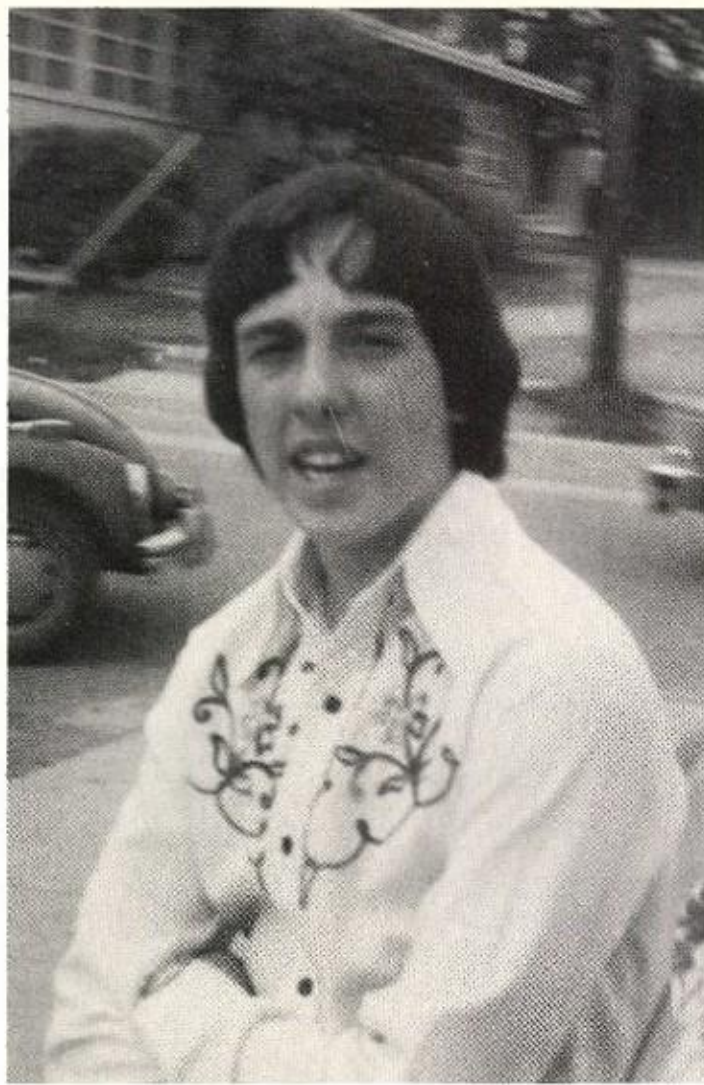
om lectures and films about alcoholism.



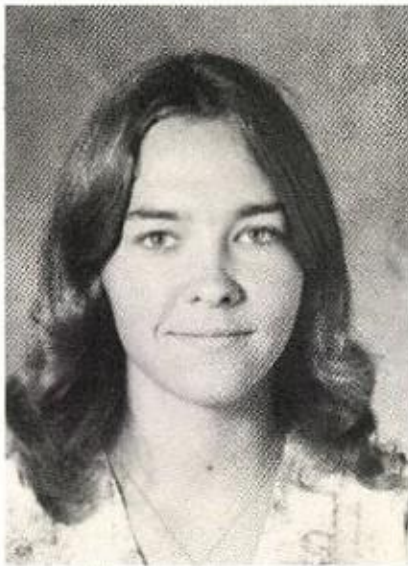
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Marion Truitt
Louanne Truelove
Vicki Tubbs

Lewis Boren expresses his serious point of view.

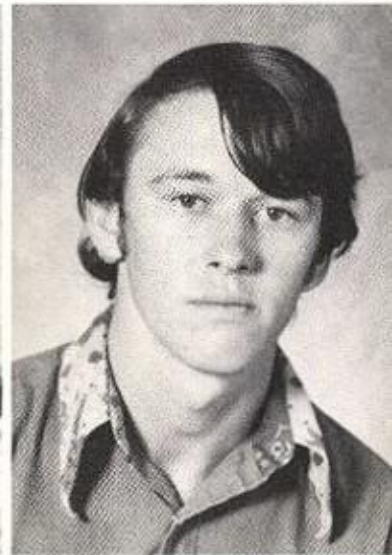
Timmy Alford reveals his excited mood.



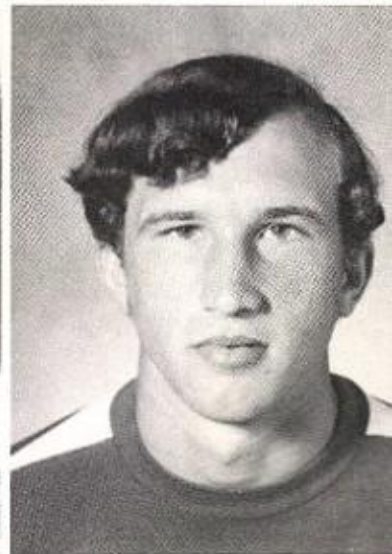
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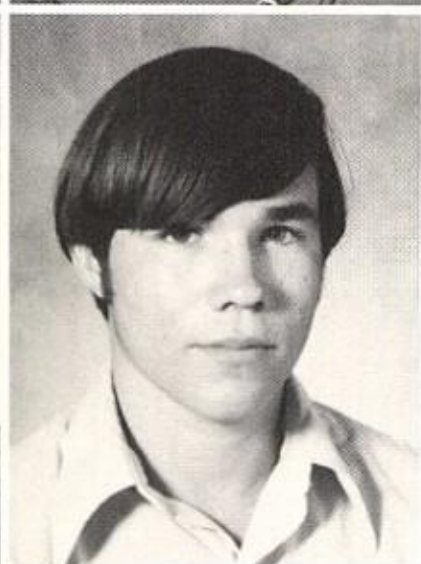


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Brenda White
Curtis Wickliffe

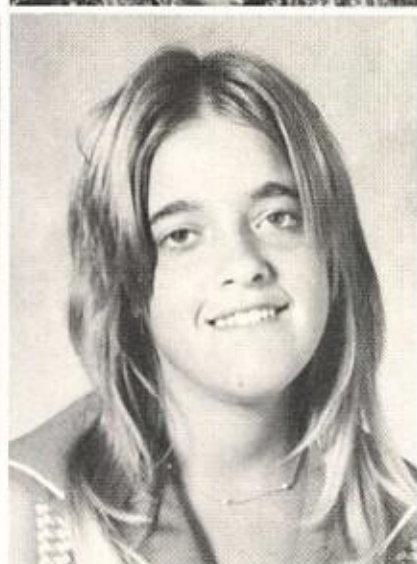




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Ellen Williams
Michael Williams
Sharon Willis



Shirley Williams
Wayne Wilson
Rick Woody
Helen Wright



Bobby Wulf
Delia Ybarra
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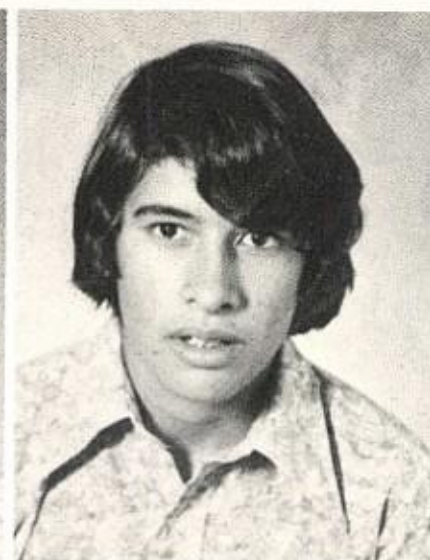
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Erin Lanphere, Parliamentarian; Lindsey McFarland, Treasurer; Roy Brantley, Vice-President; Marsha Schiller, Secretary; David Coufal, President





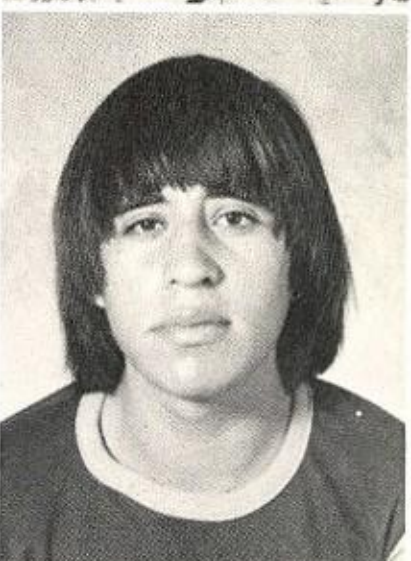
iz Smith holds onto her security pillow on the Corpus
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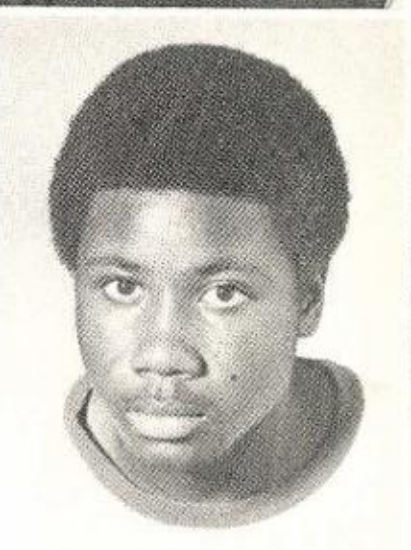
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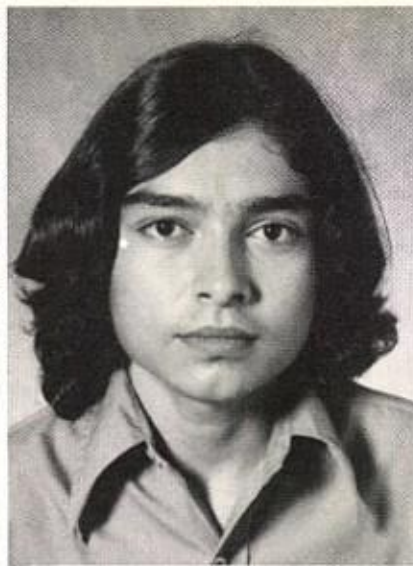


Sharon Bakke
Linda Ballard
Sterling Barlow
Sue Bartlett



Tim Beacham
Bobbie Beamon
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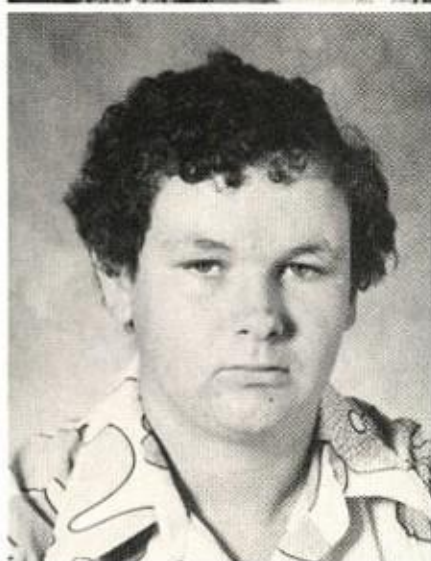
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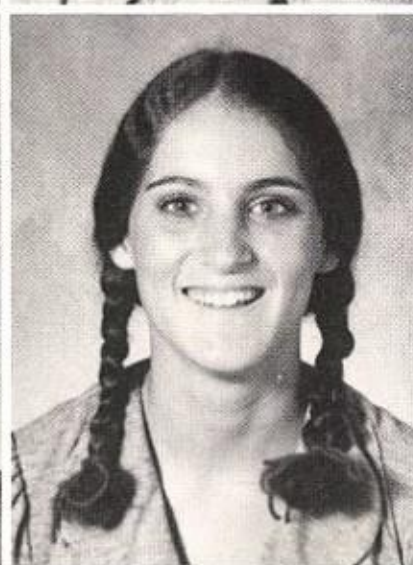
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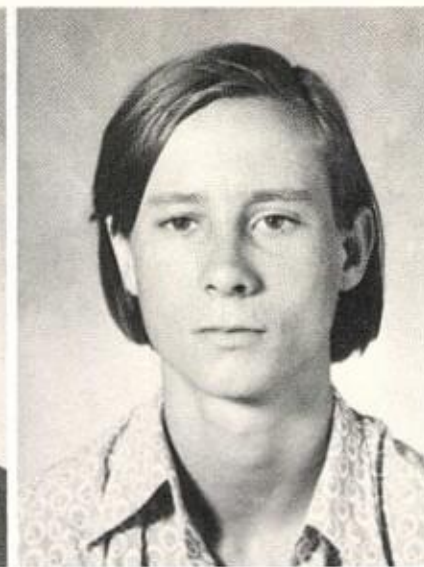
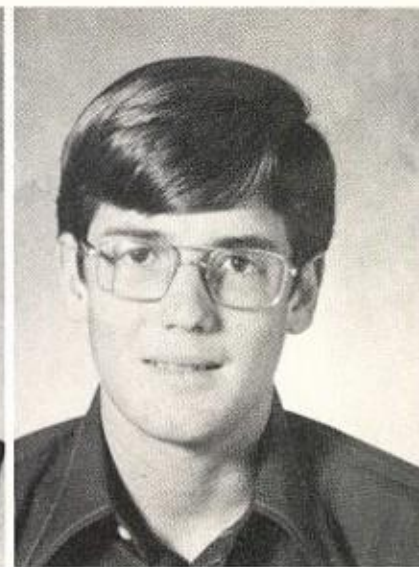


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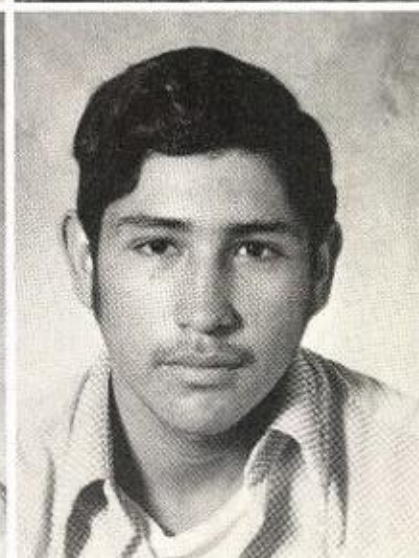


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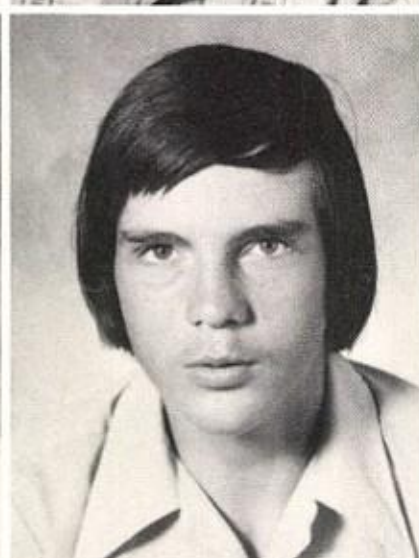
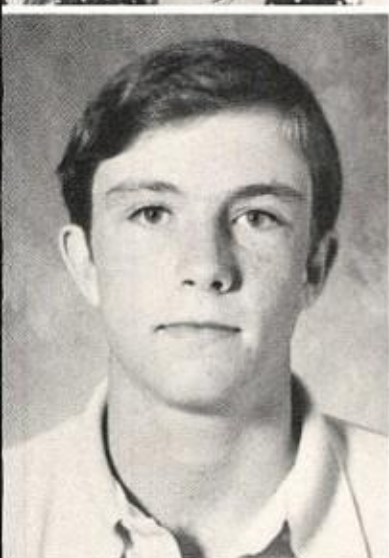




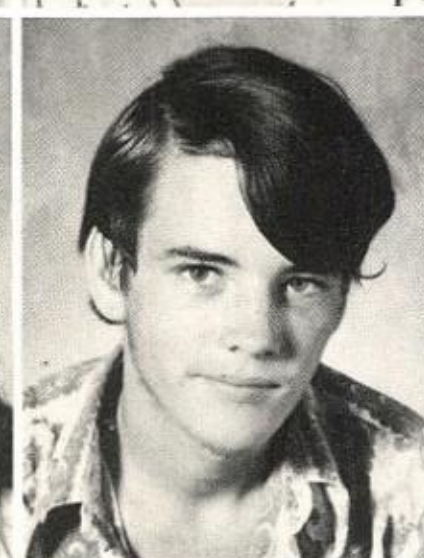
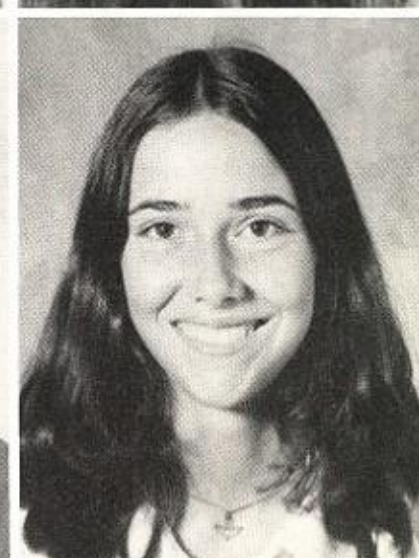
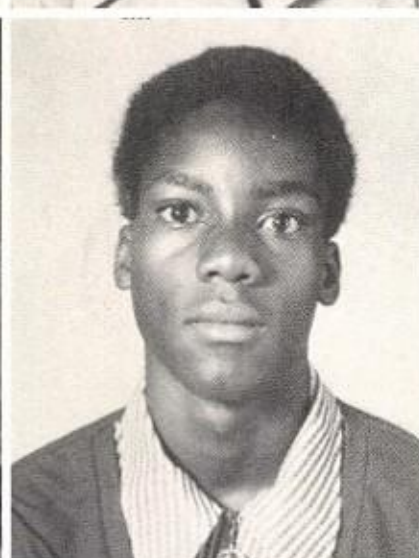
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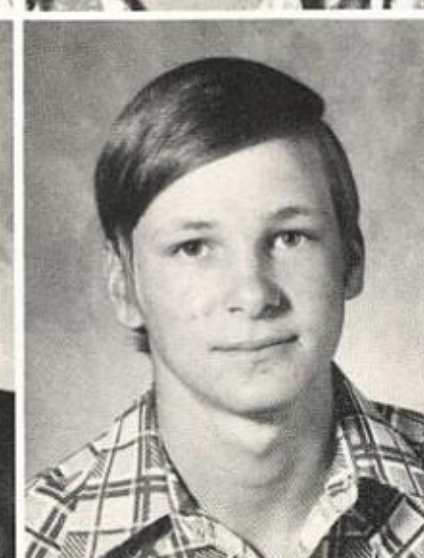
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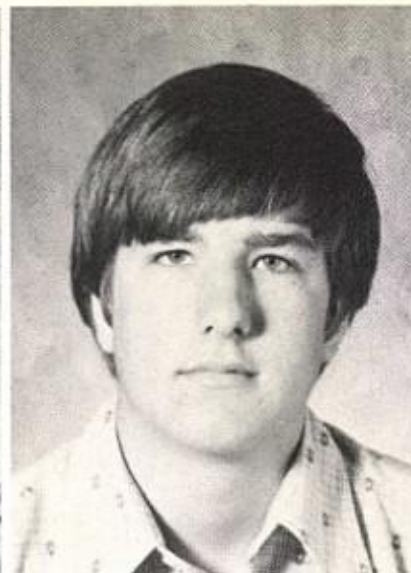
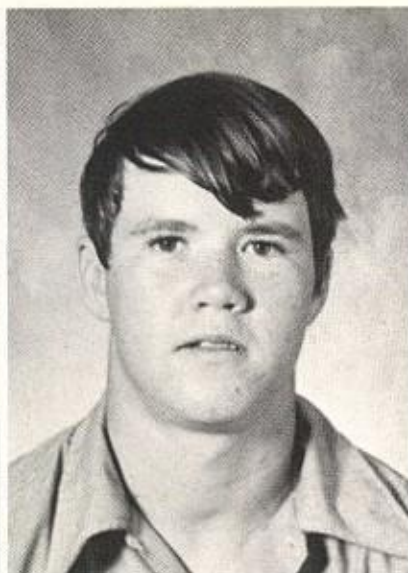


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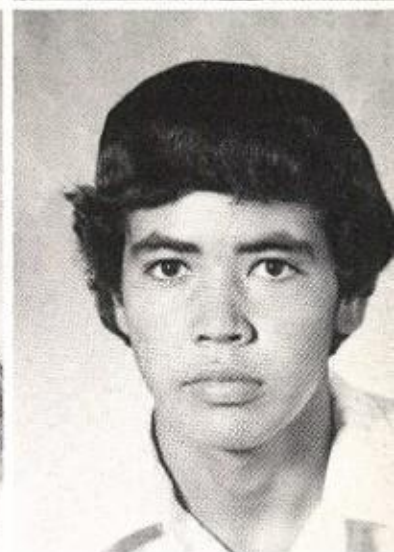
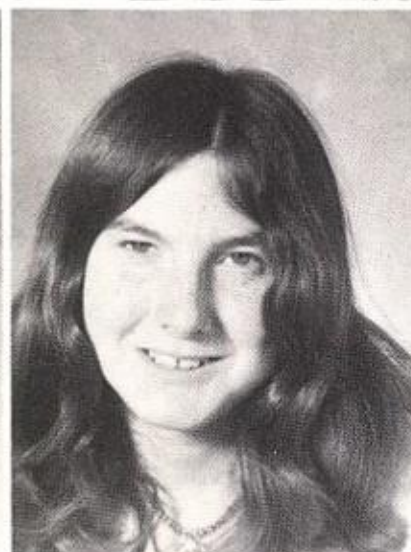


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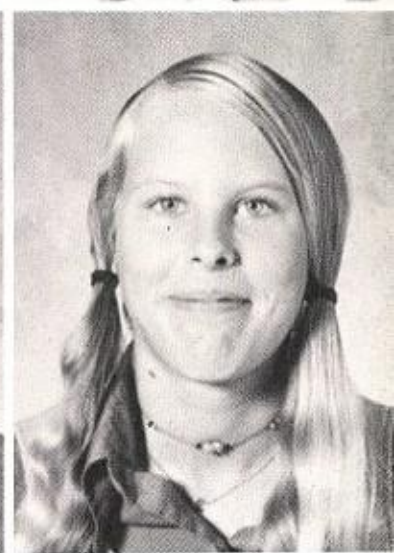
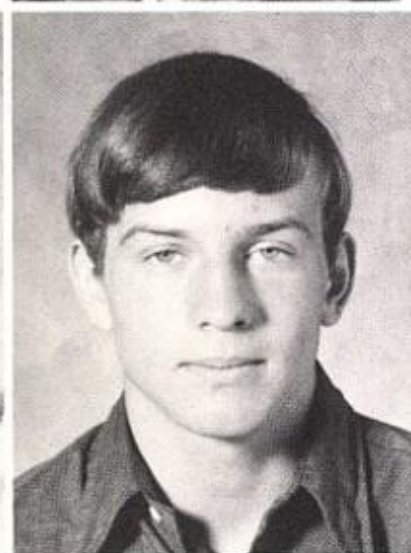
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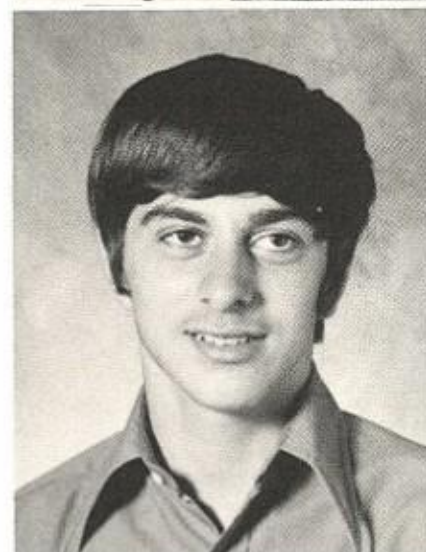
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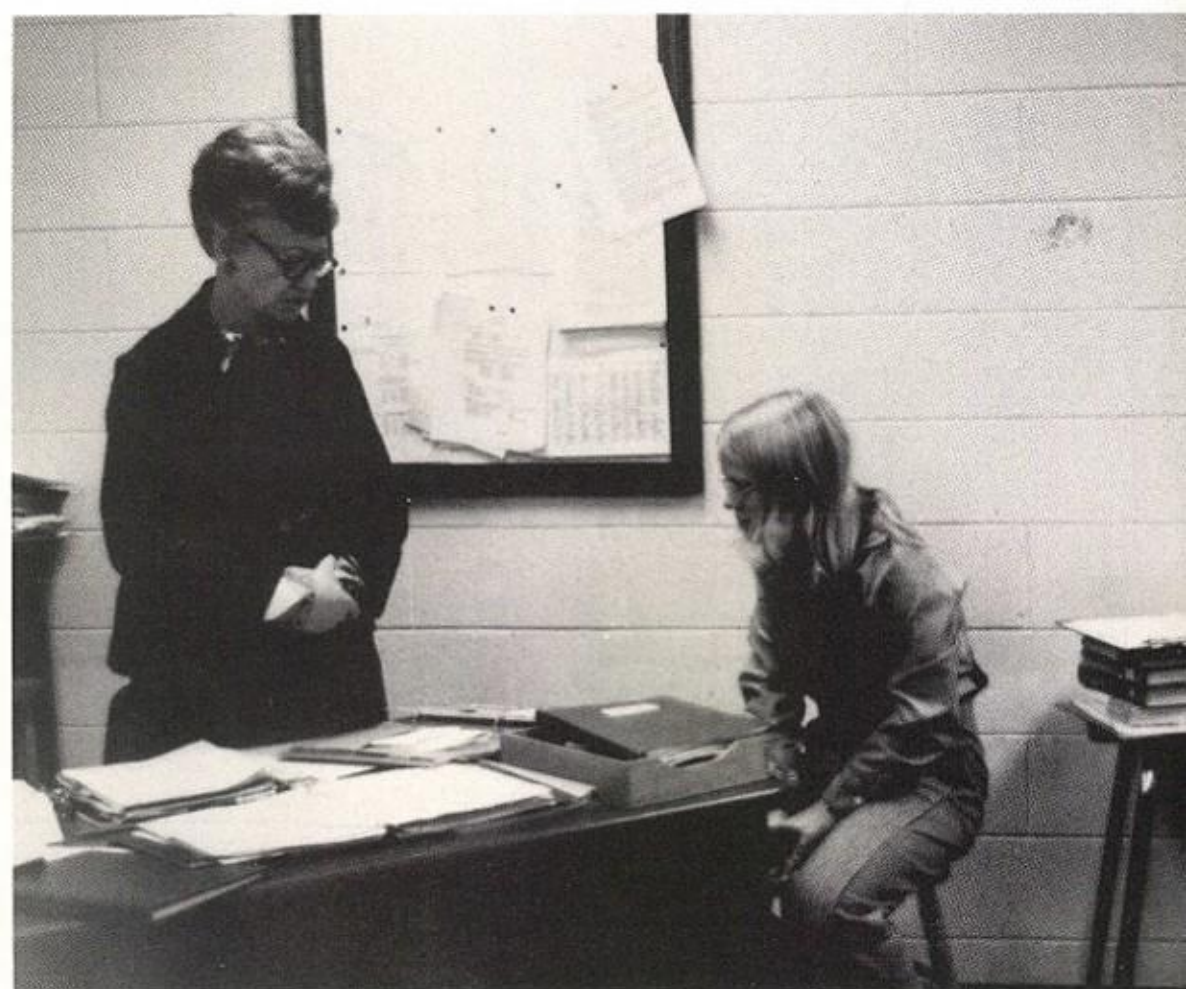
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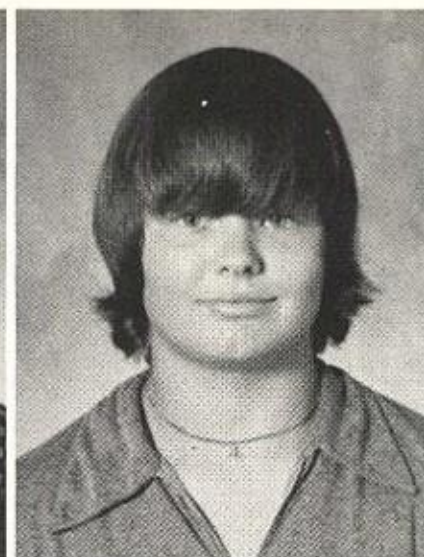
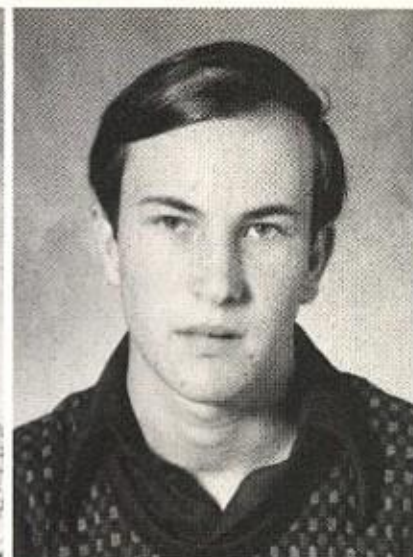
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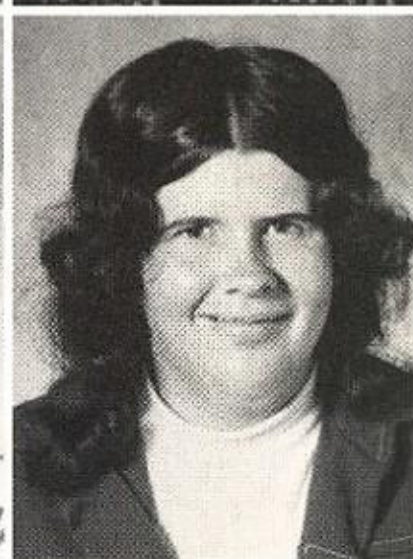
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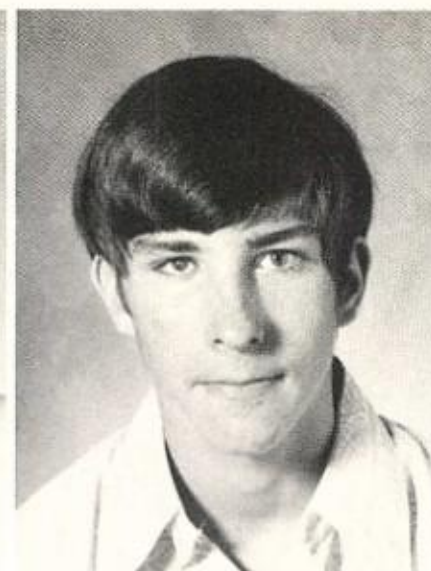
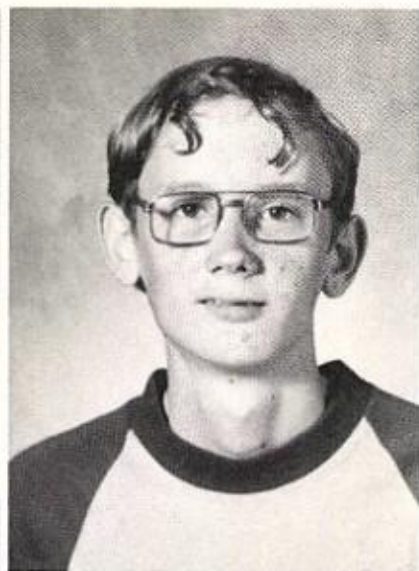
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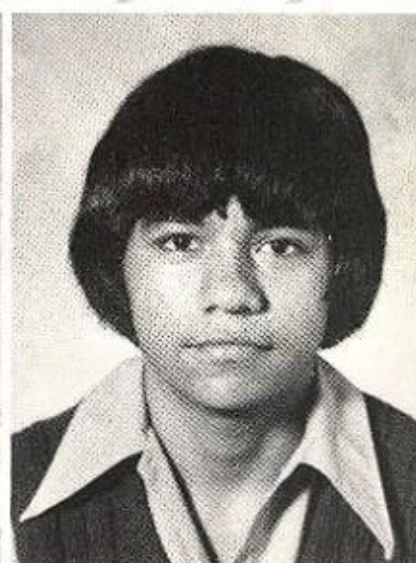
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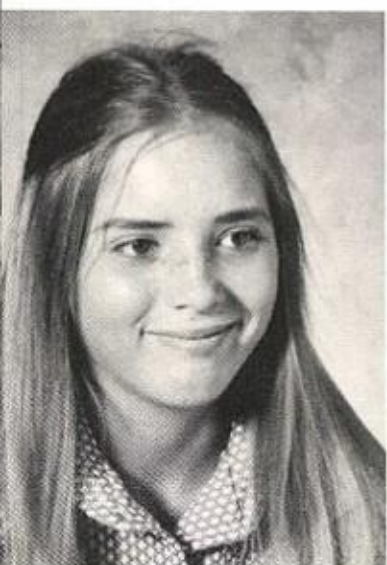
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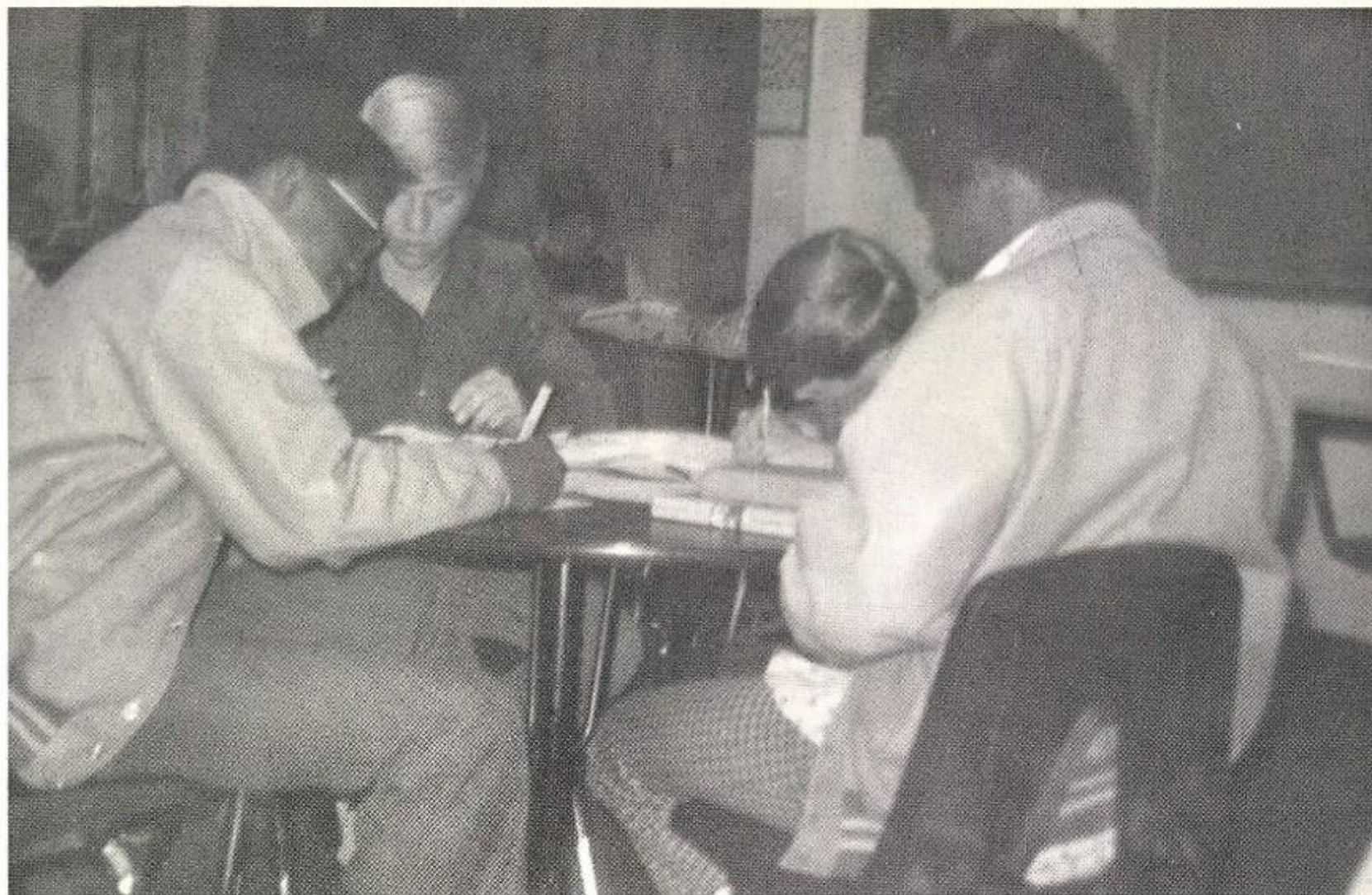


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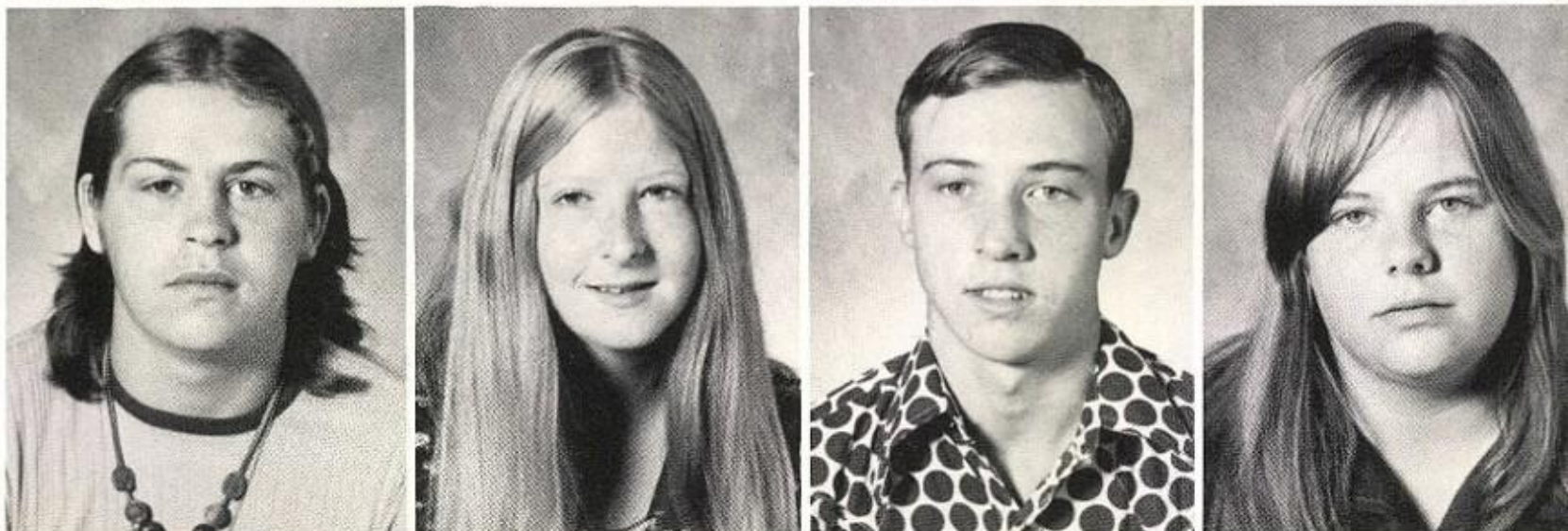
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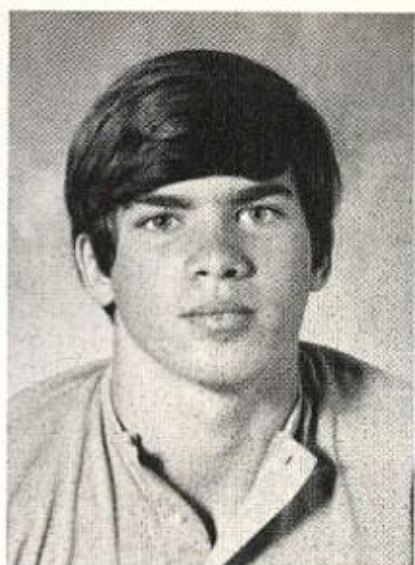


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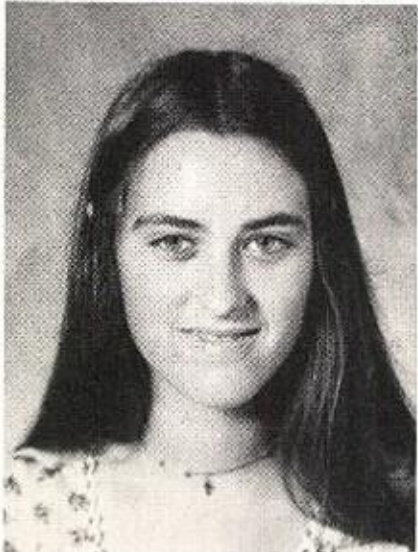




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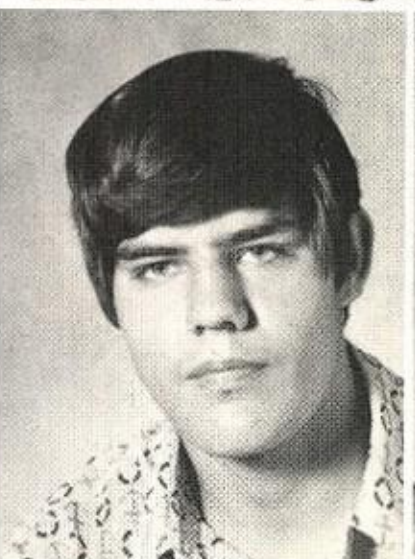
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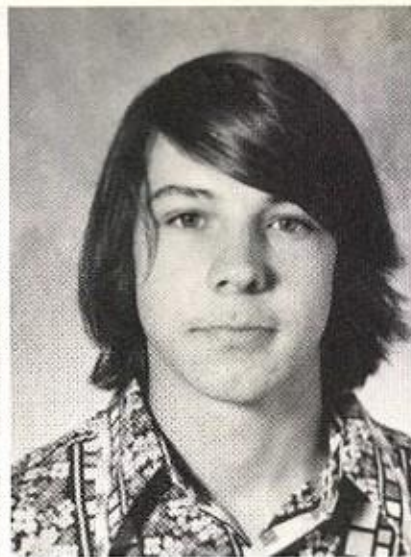


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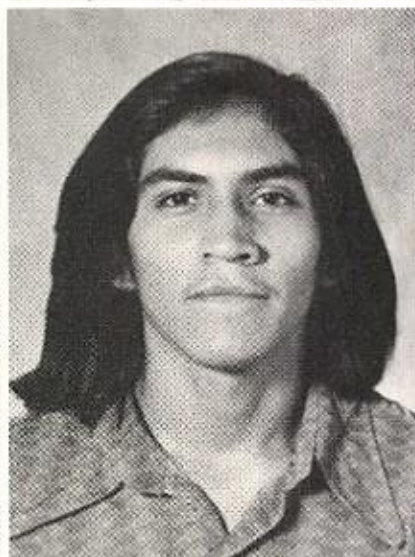


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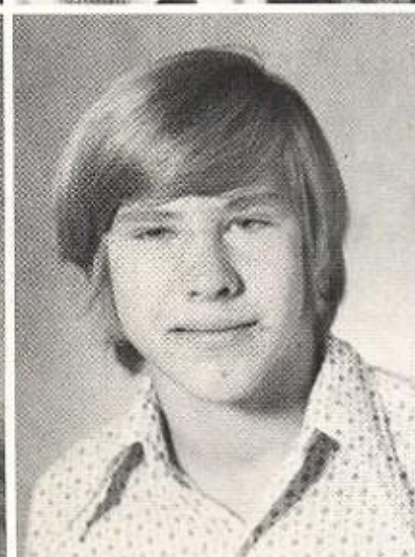
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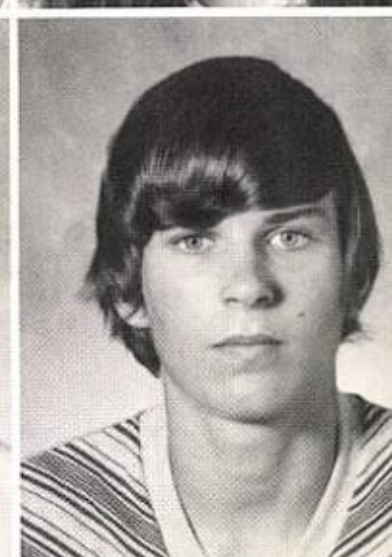
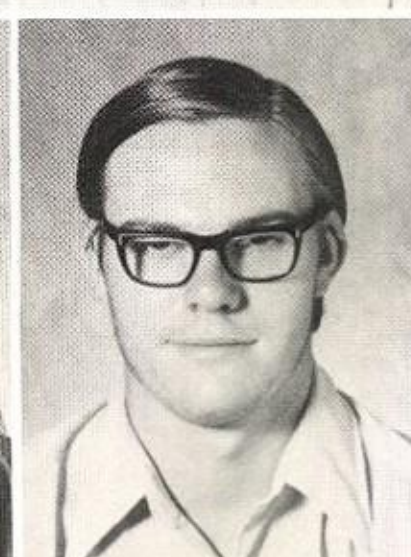
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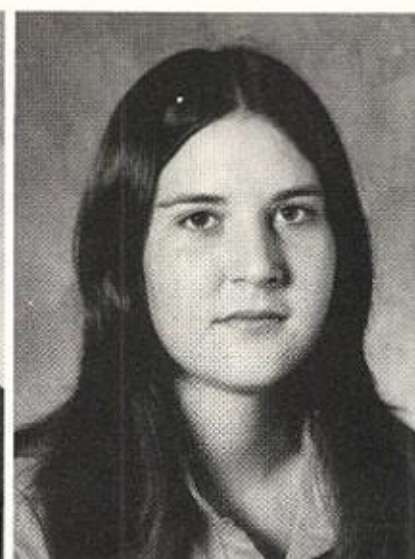
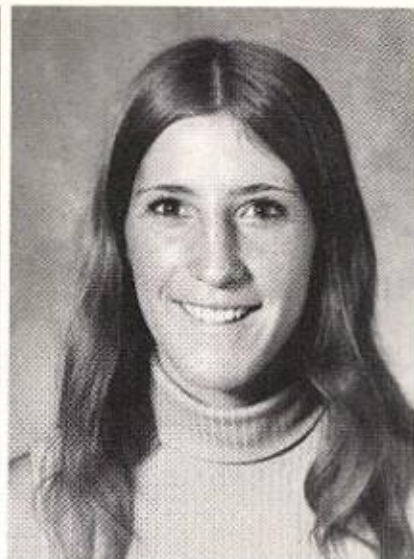


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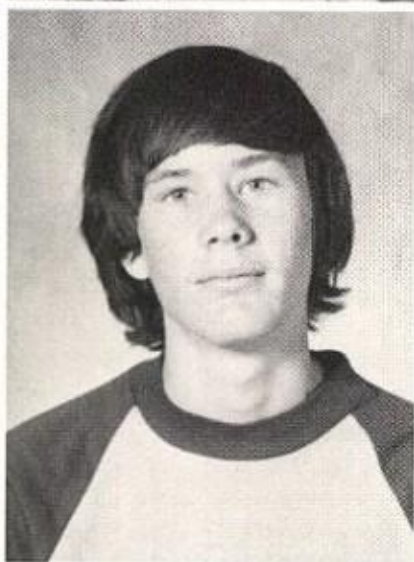
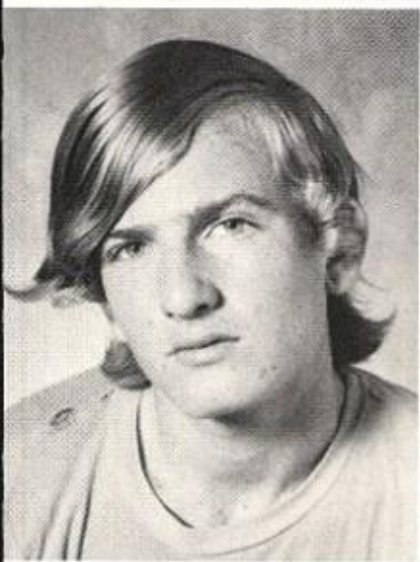


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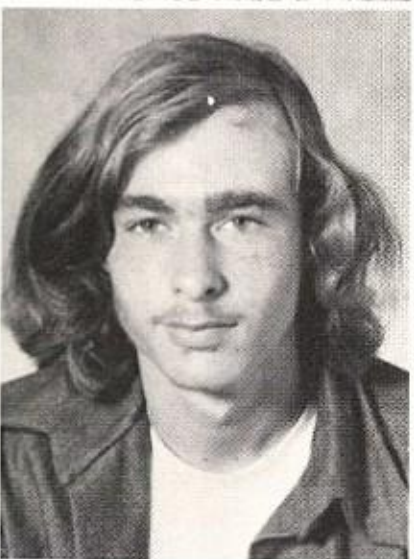
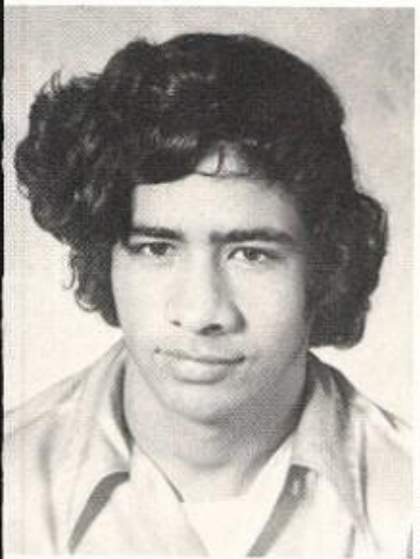
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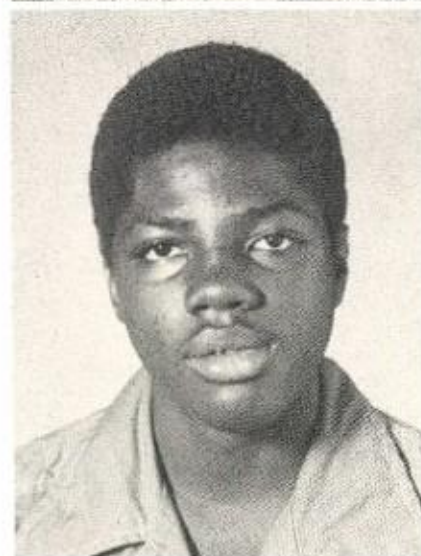


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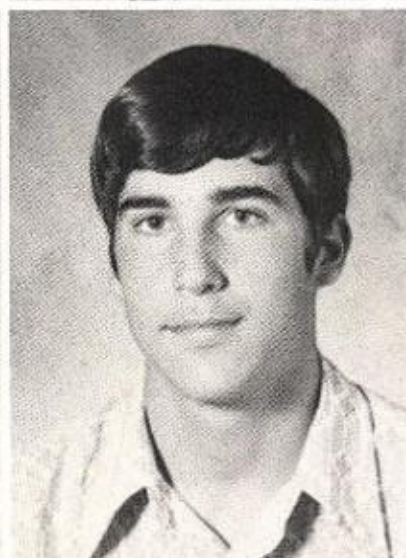
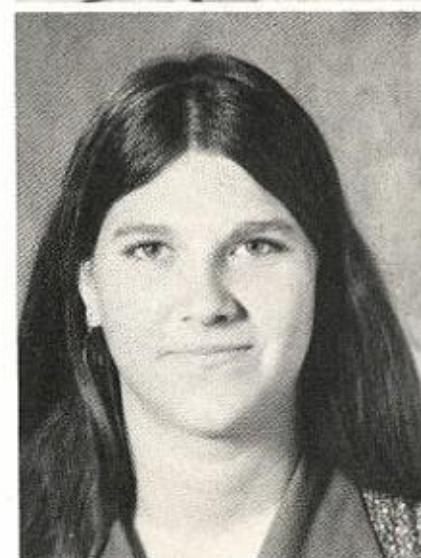
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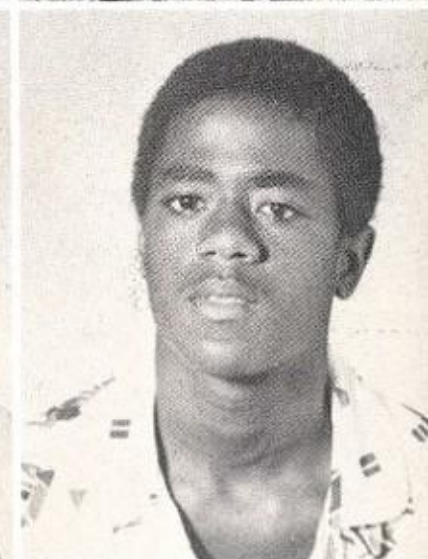
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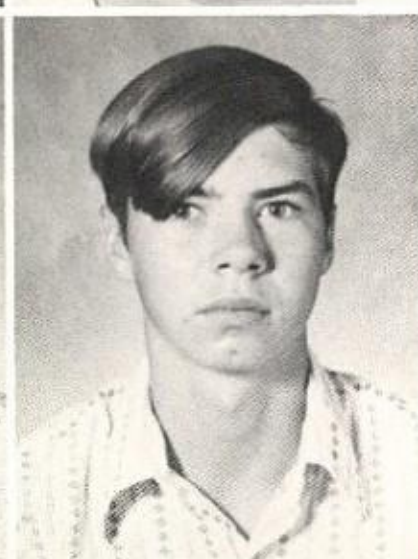
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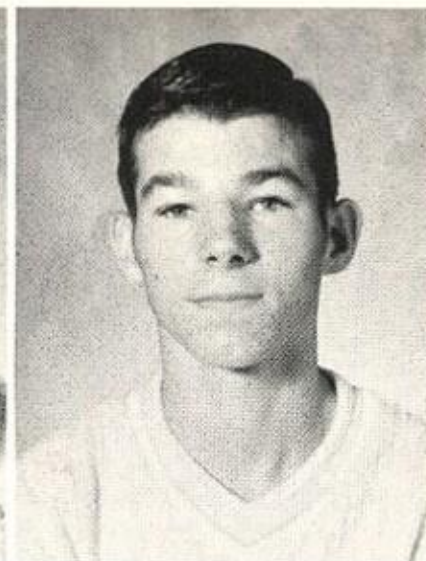


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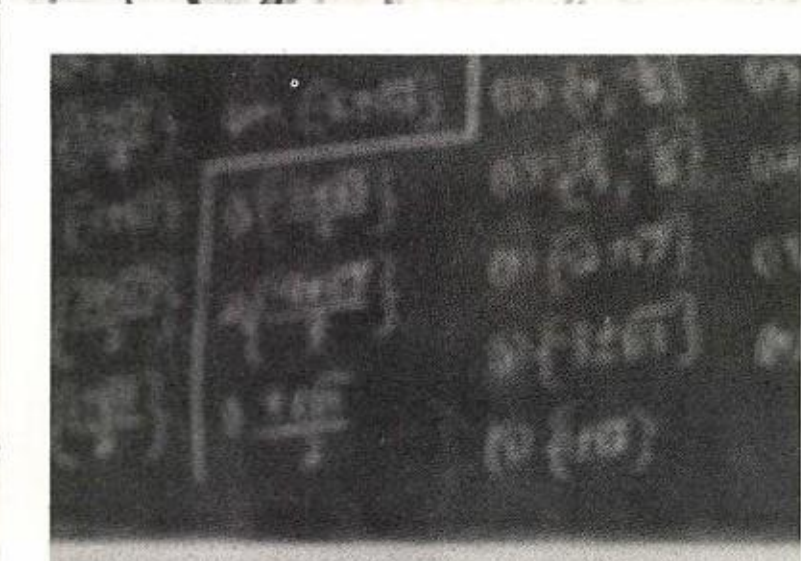


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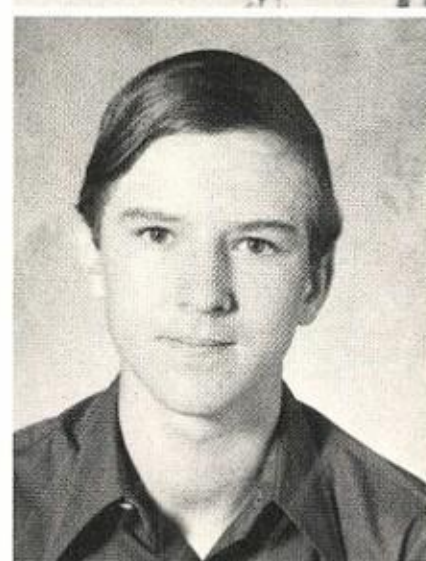
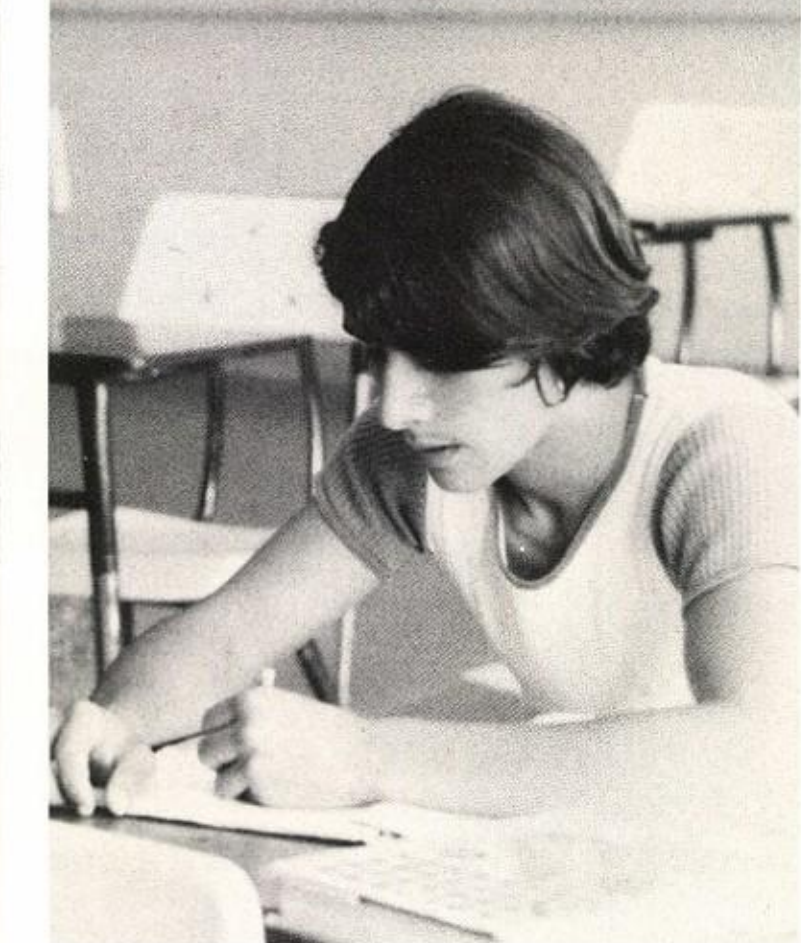




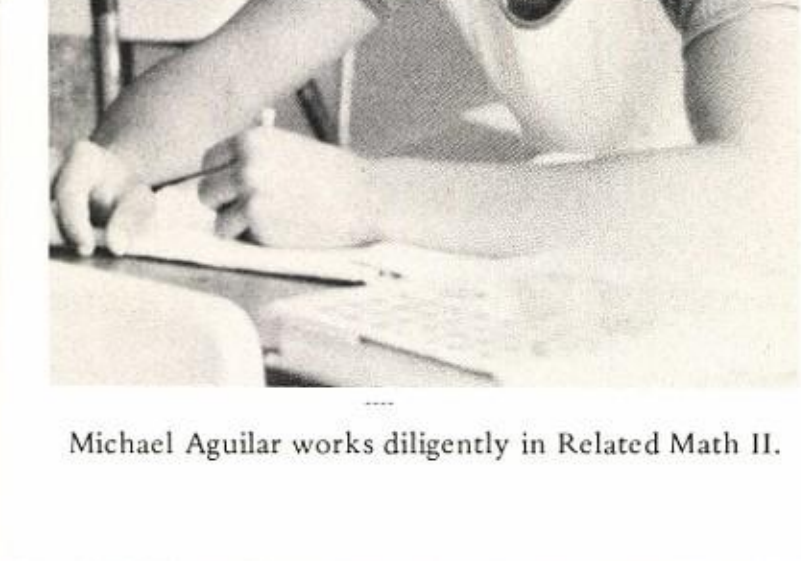
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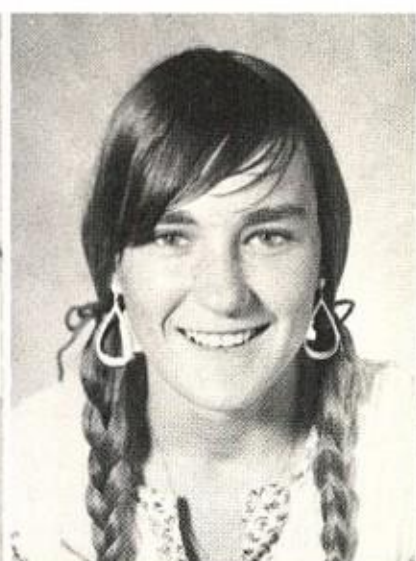
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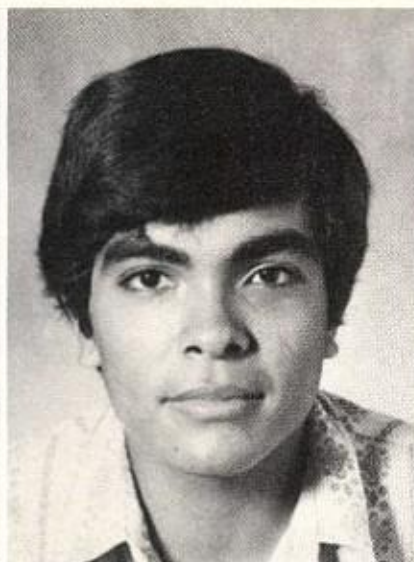
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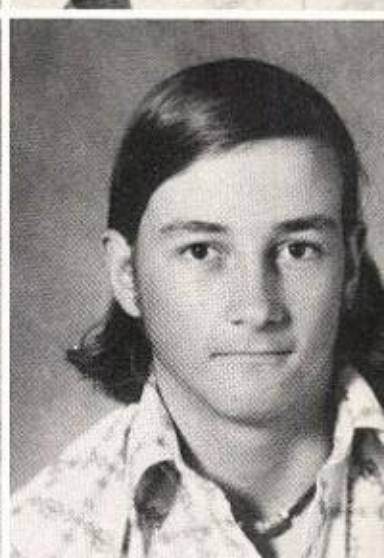
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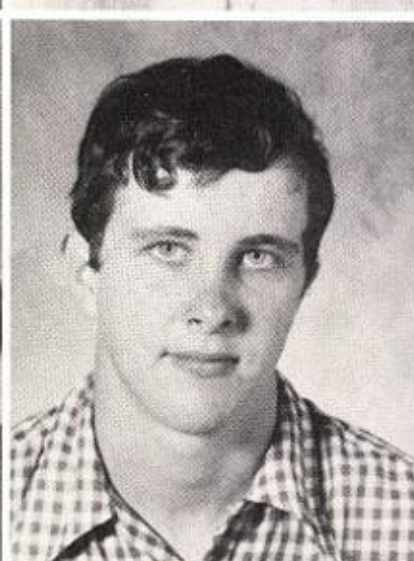
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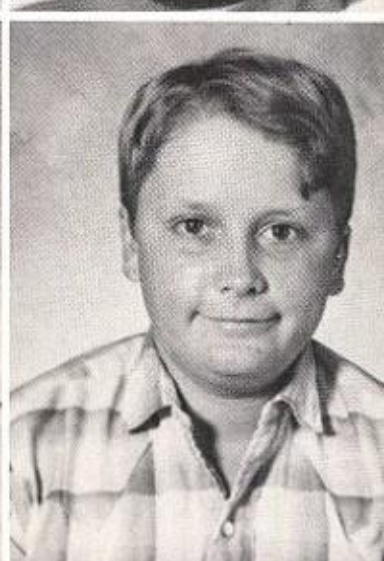
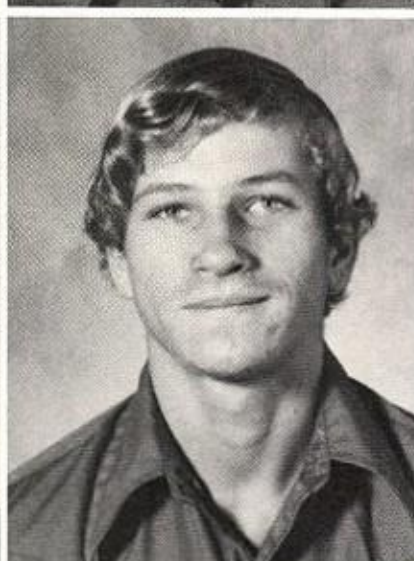
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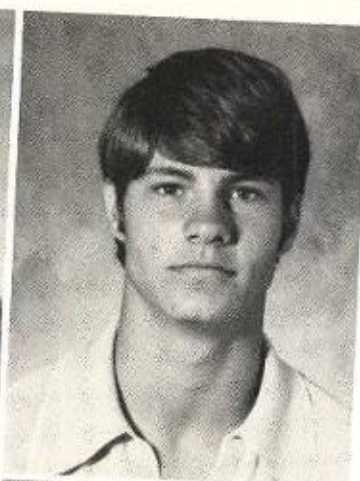
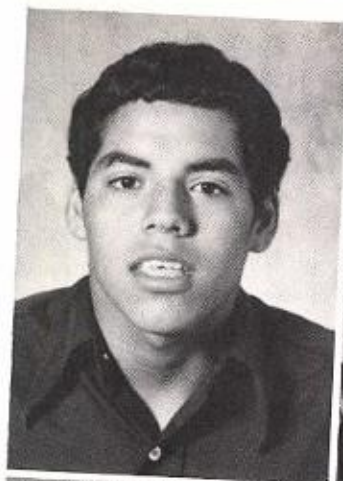


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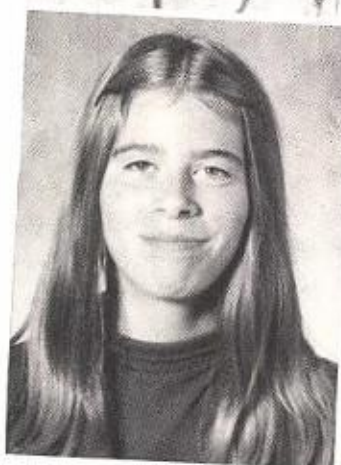




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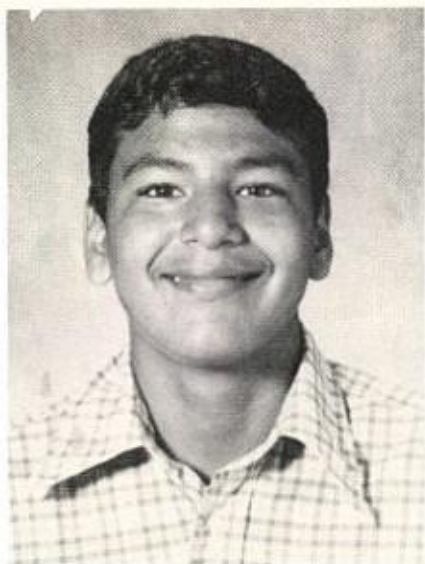


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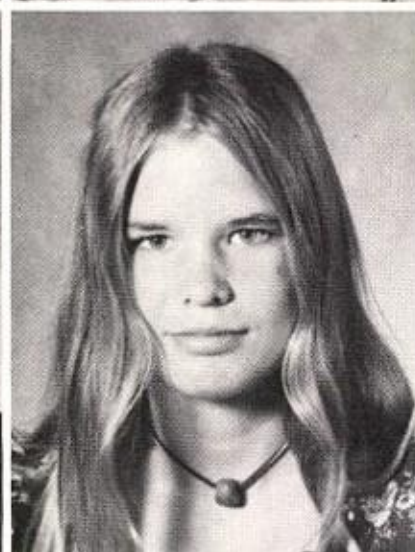
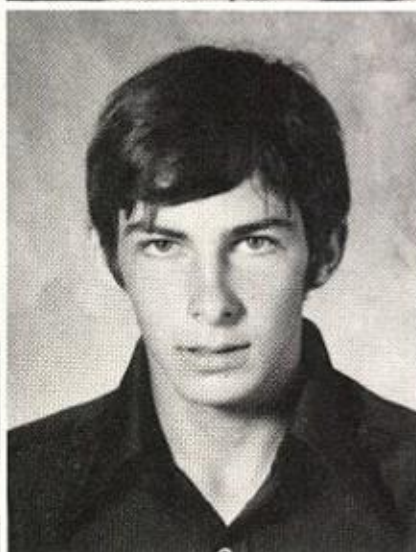
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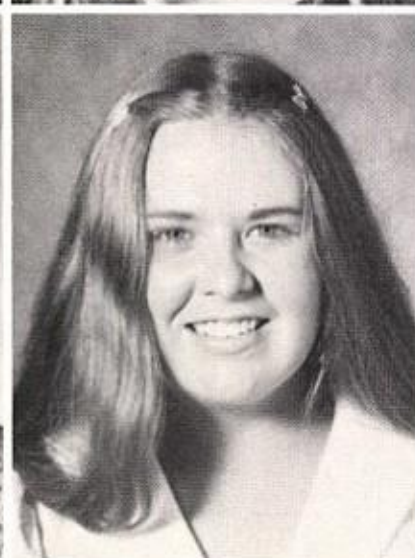
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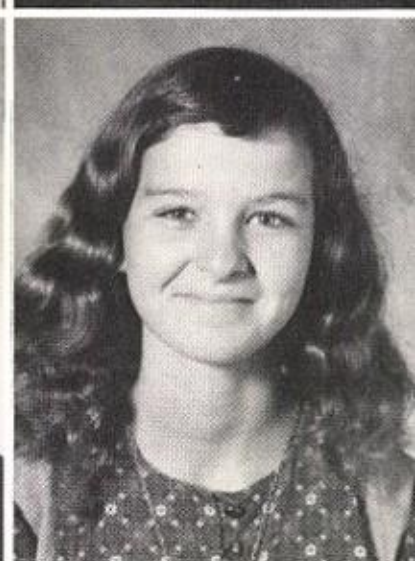
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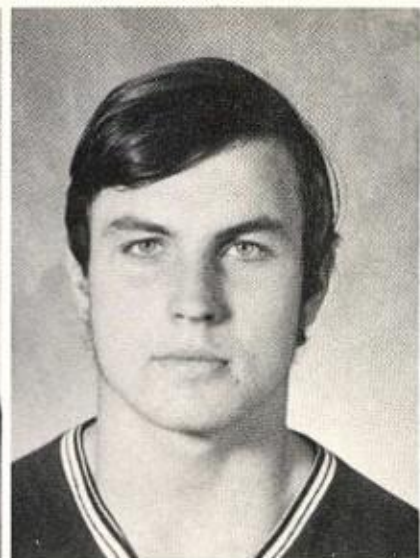


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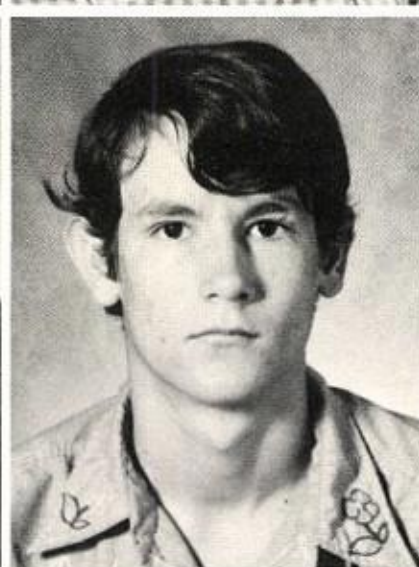


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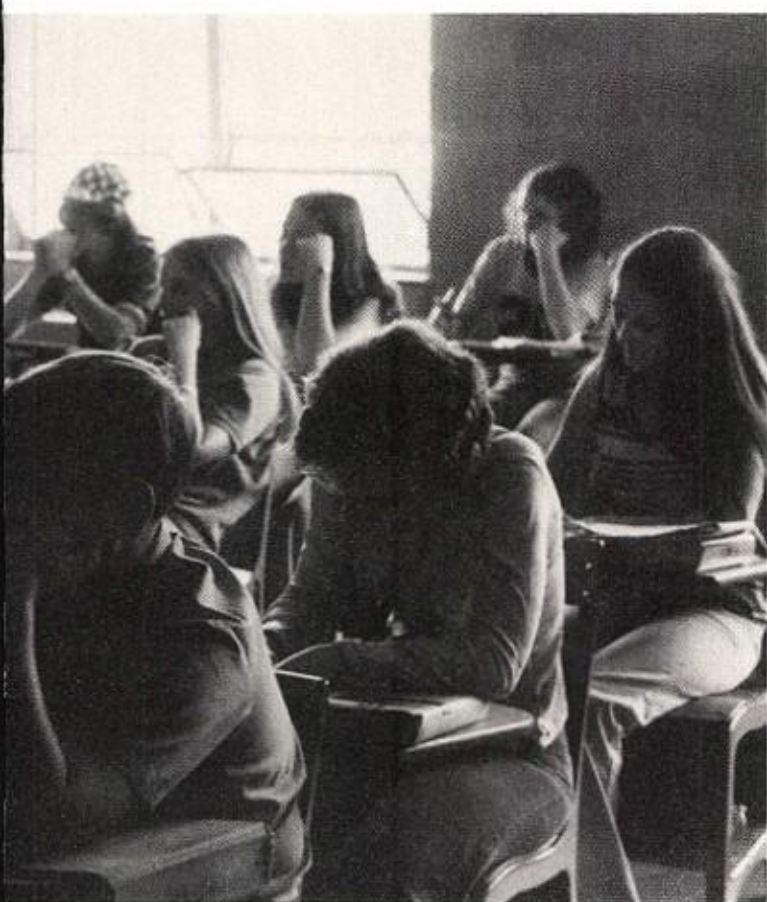




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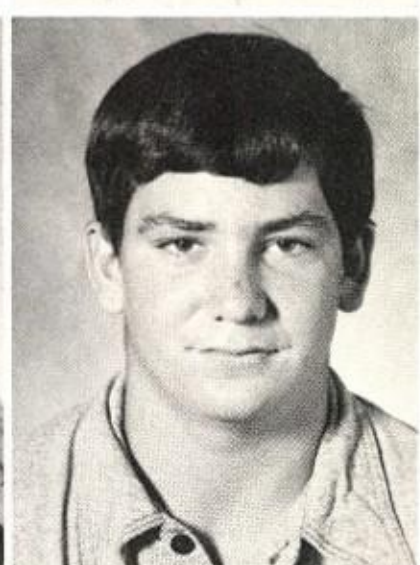
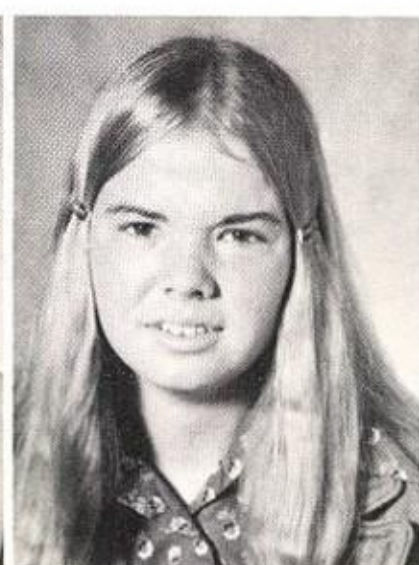
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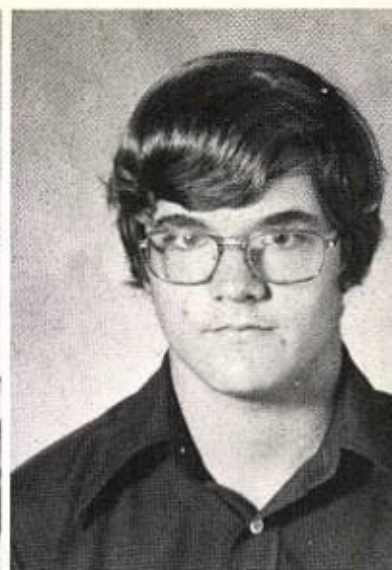


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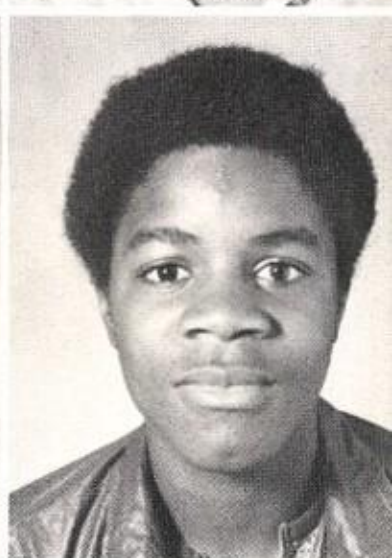
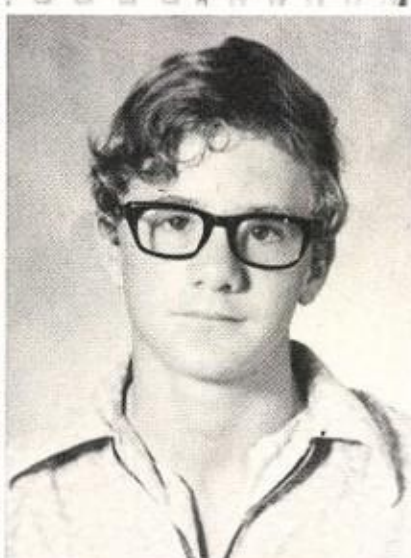
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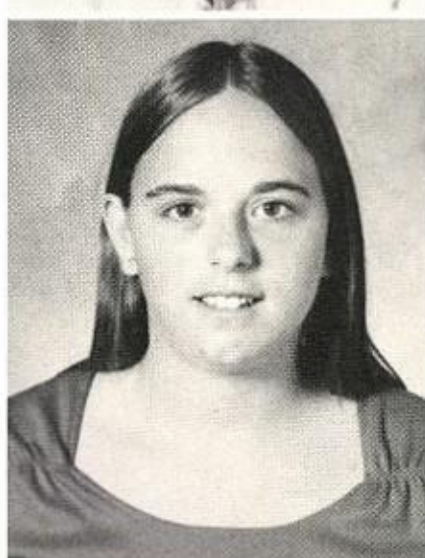
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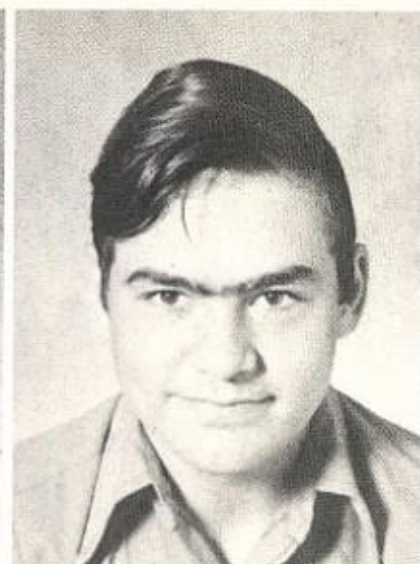


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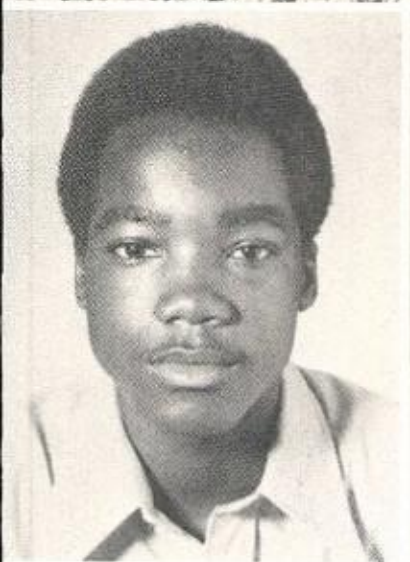
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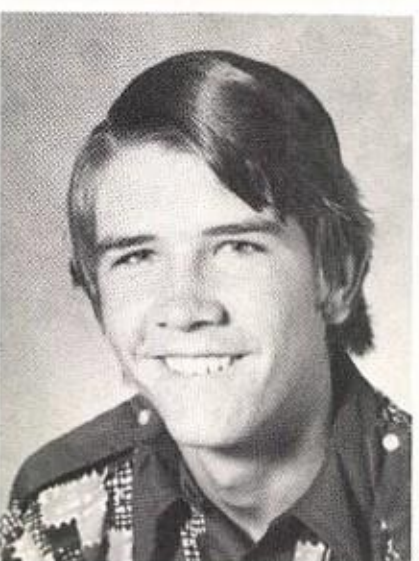
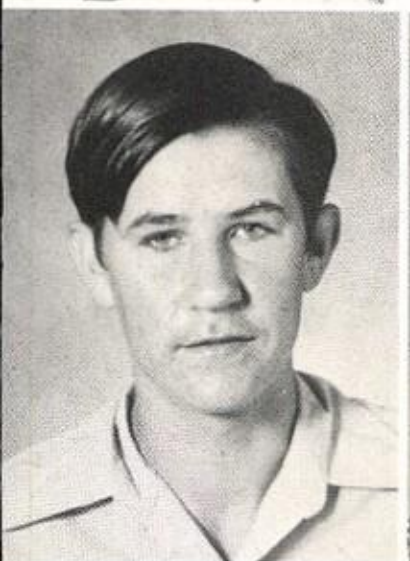
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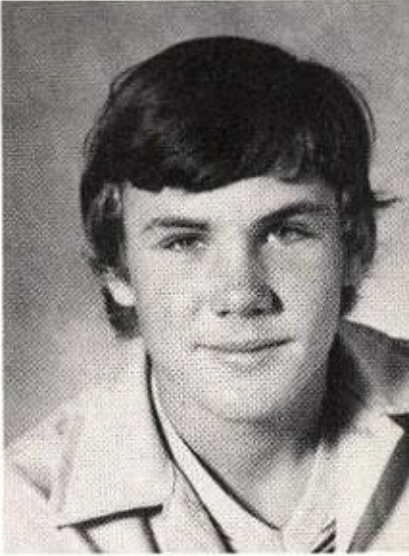
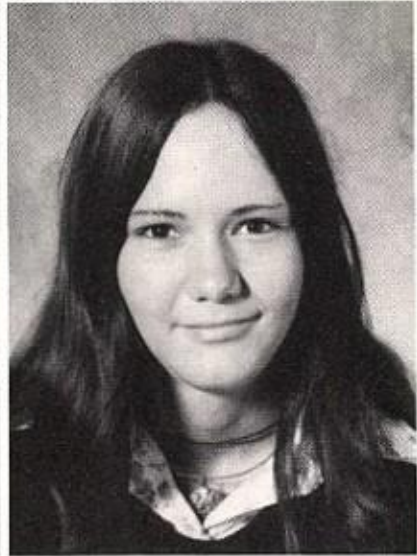
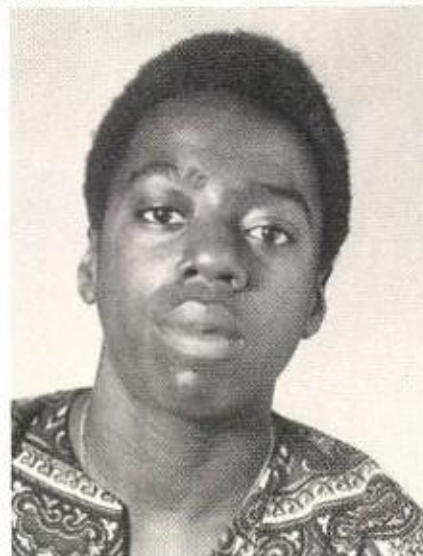


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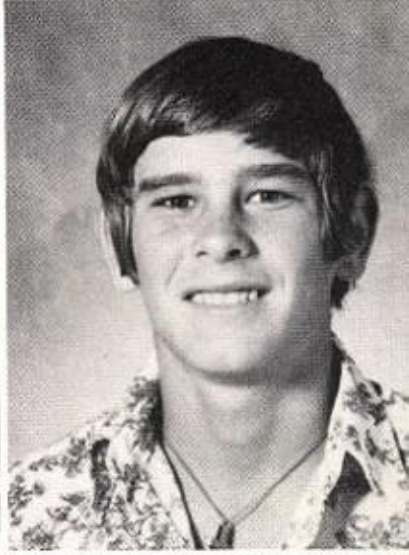
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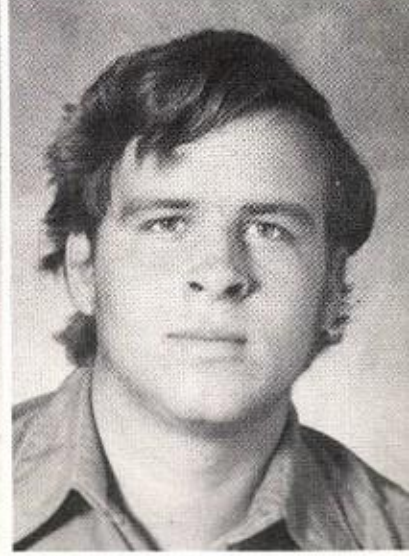
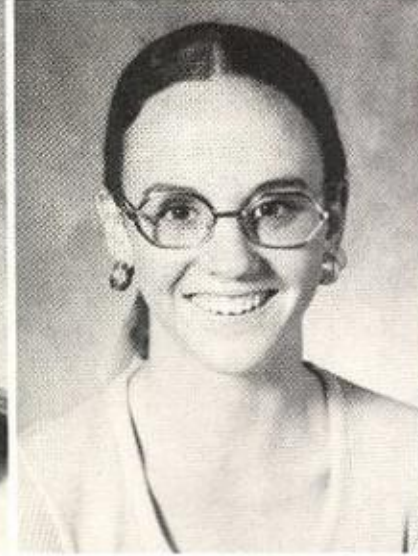
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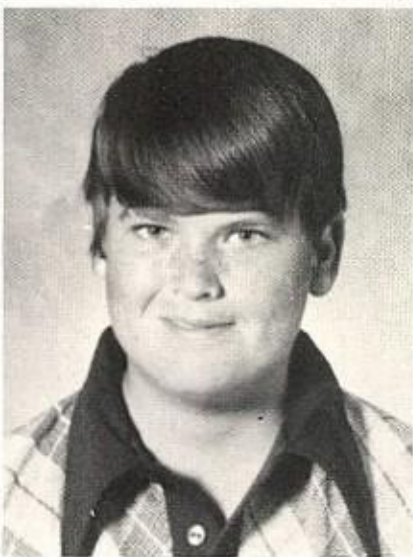
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Kyle Henderson



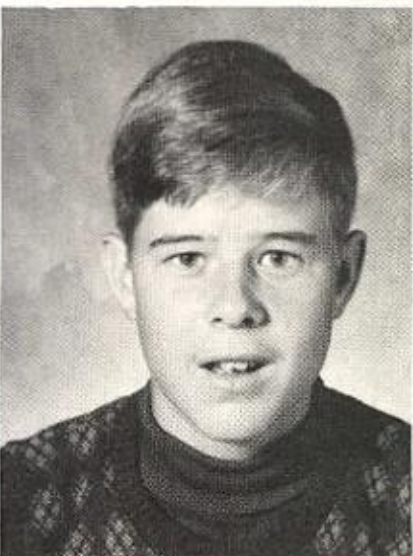
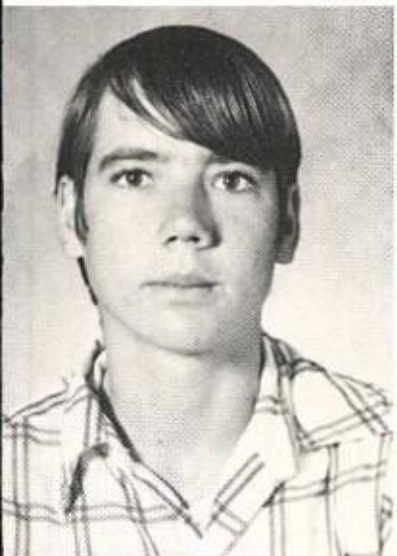
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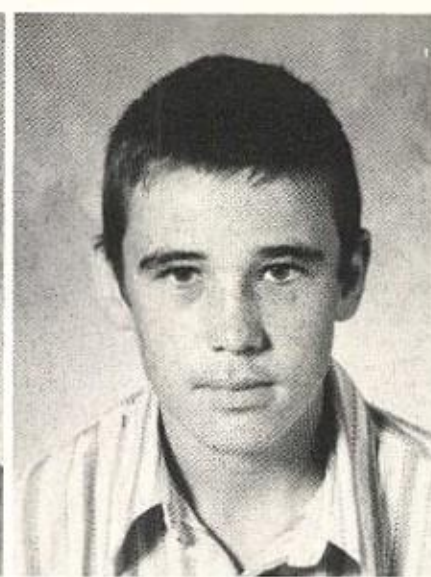
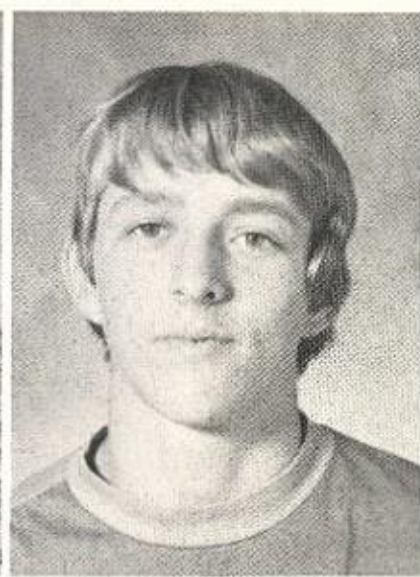
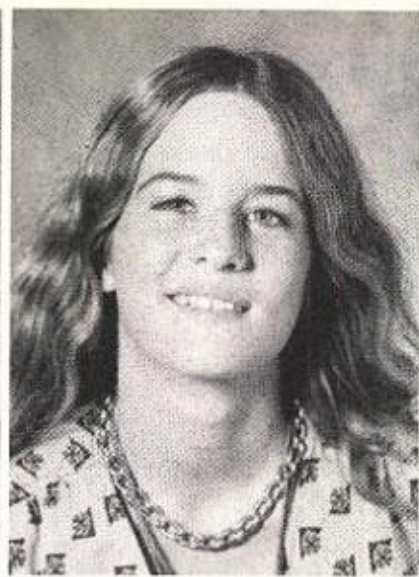
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FRESHMAN CLASS FAVORITES

VIRGINIA DINGUS

GREG OTRUPCA





Rhonda Hull
Jeanne Hutnacher
Williard Hutson
Robert Hutto



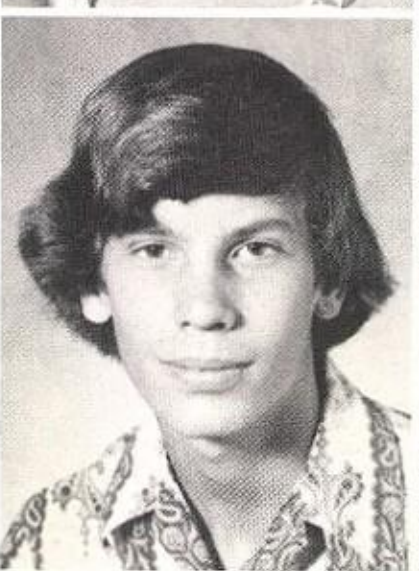
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Teresa Jones
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Karen Keeton



Paul Kemp
Bernie Kendall
Howard Kendall
Brenda Kennedy

Teresa Killingsworth
Chester Kirby
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Jenny Krotz
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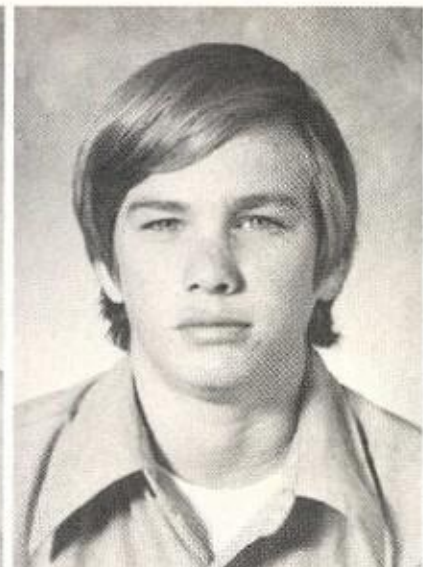


A physical science class is animated by Mrs. Barnes.

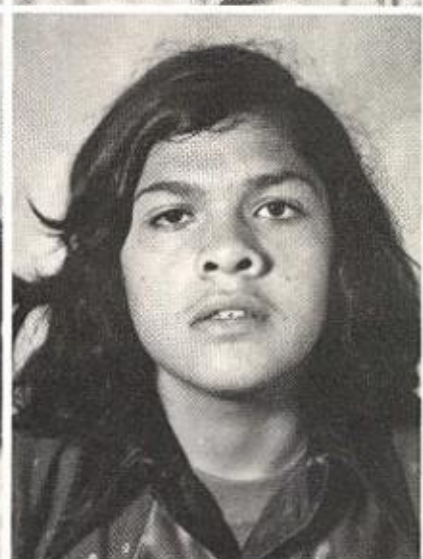


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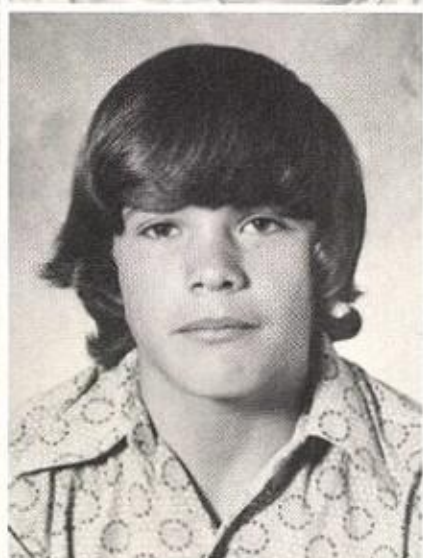




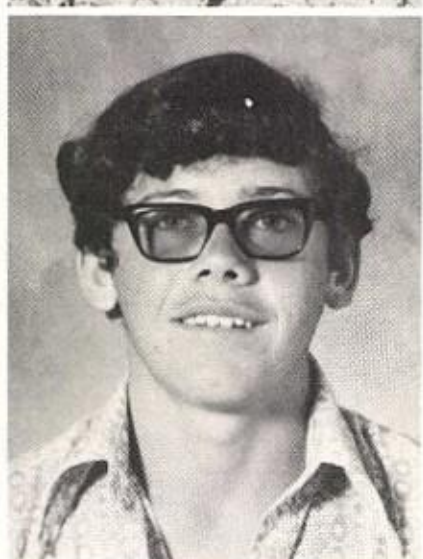
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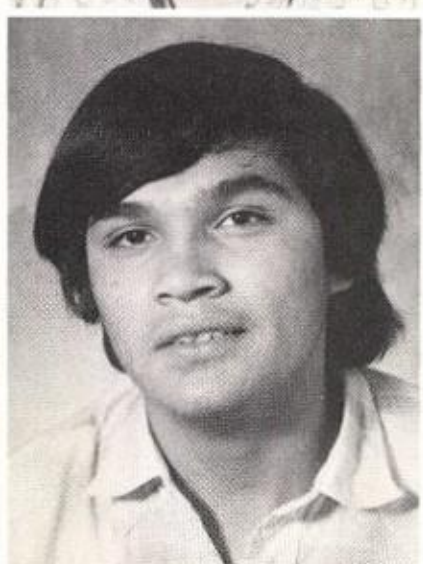
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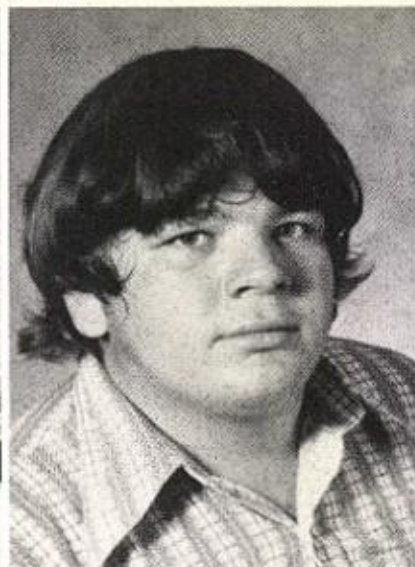


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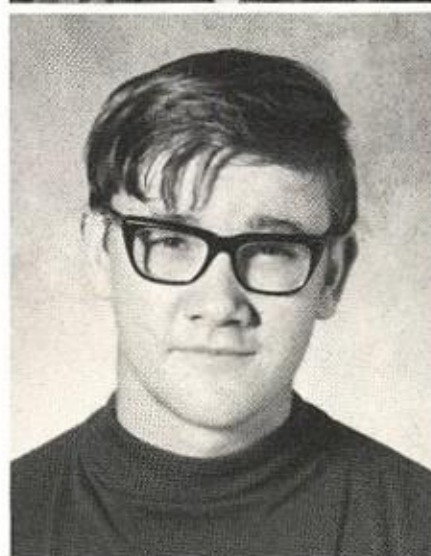


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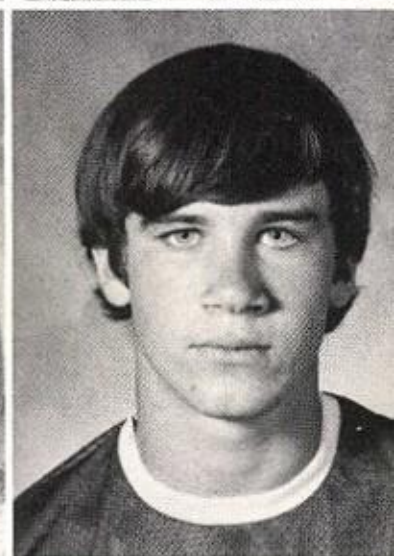
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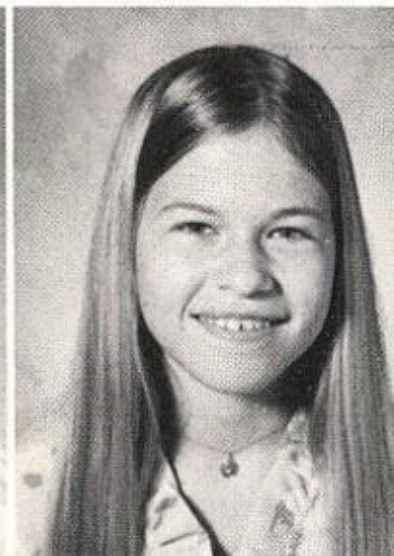
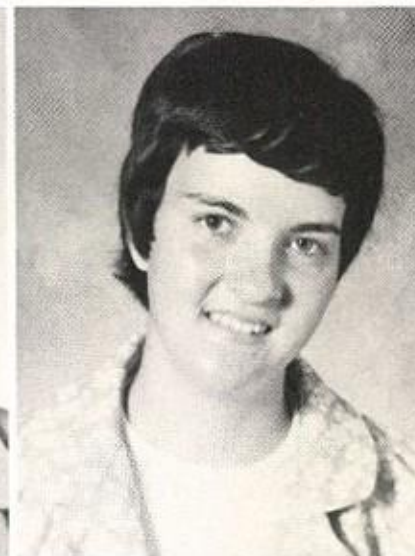
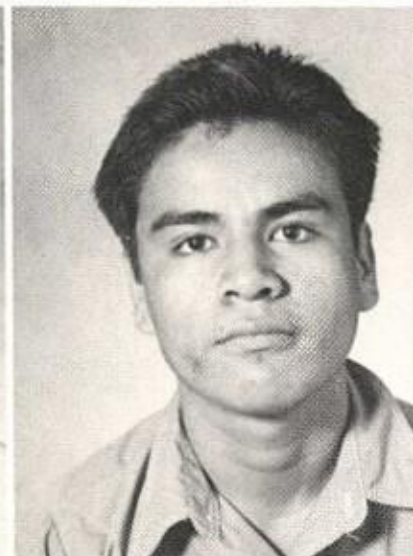
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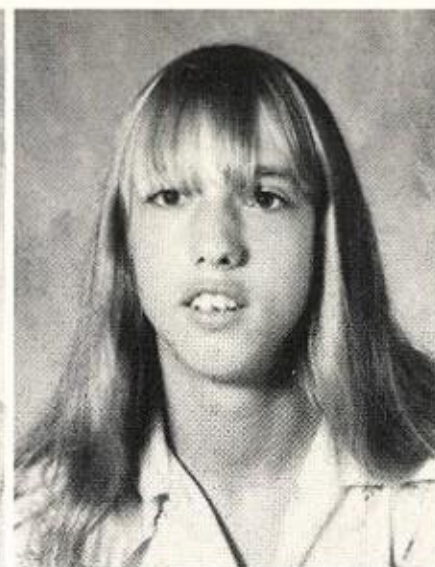


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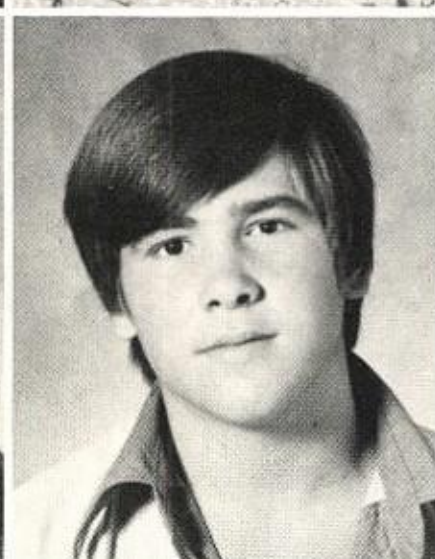
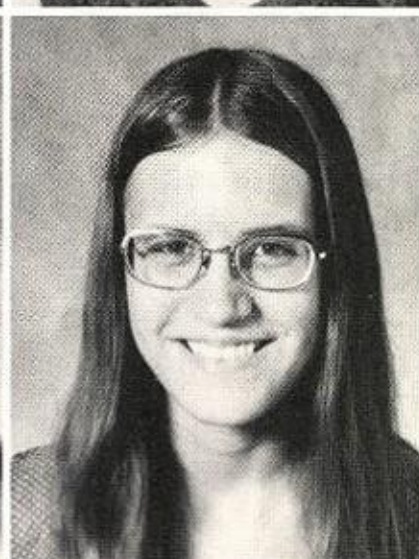
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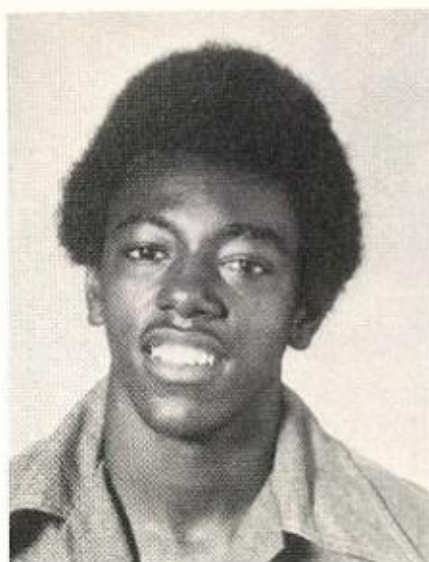


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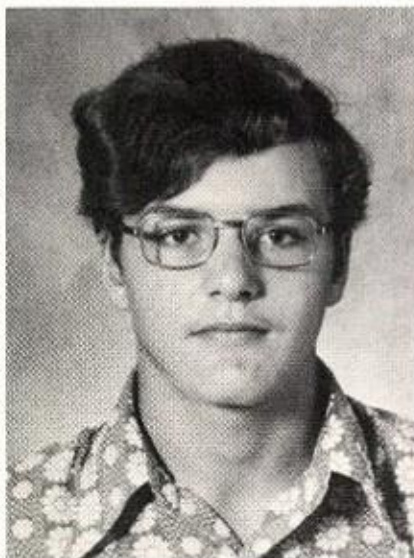


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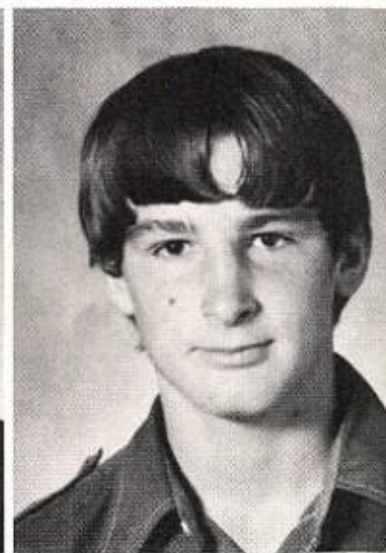
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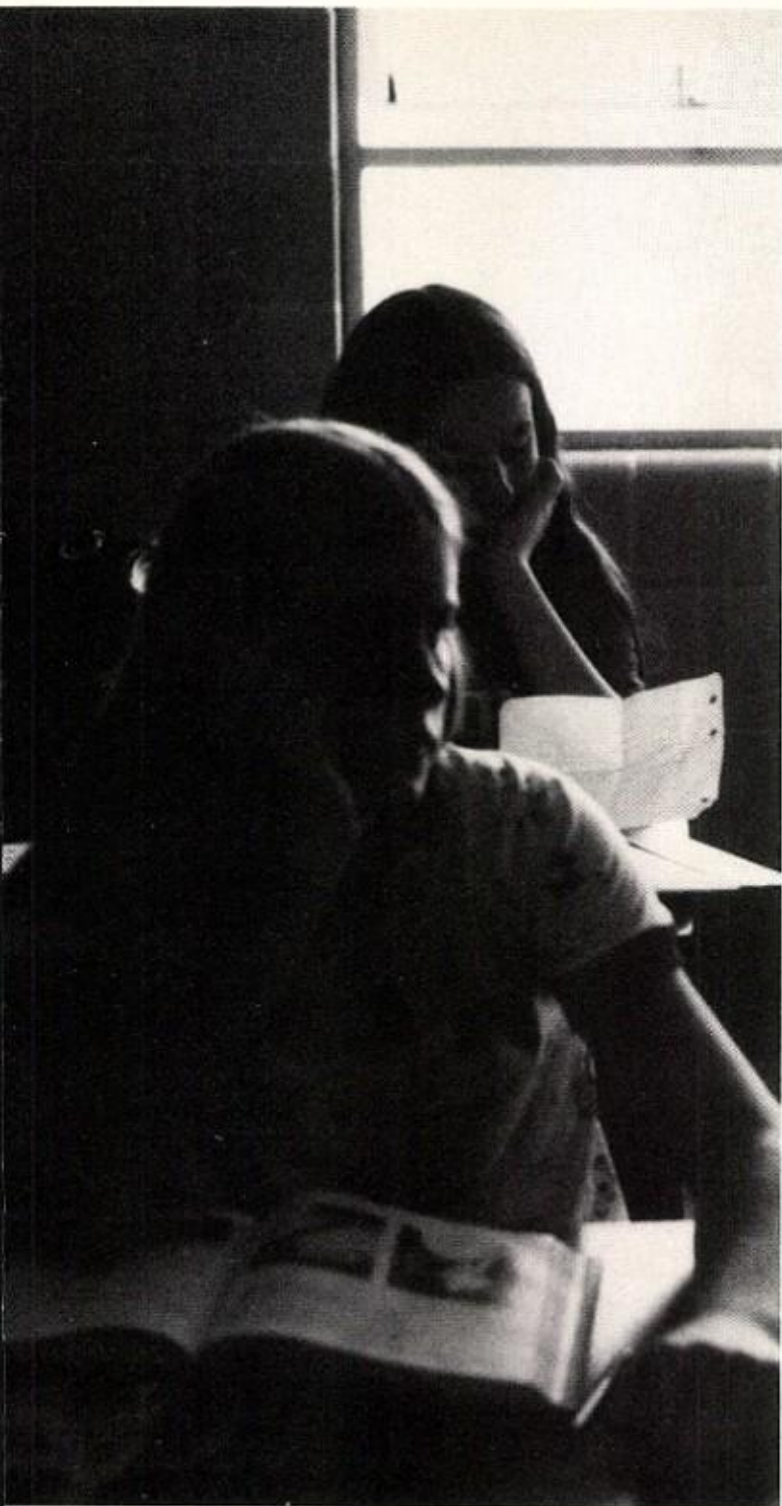


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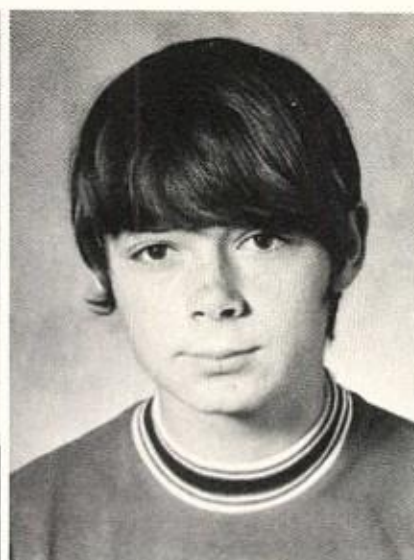


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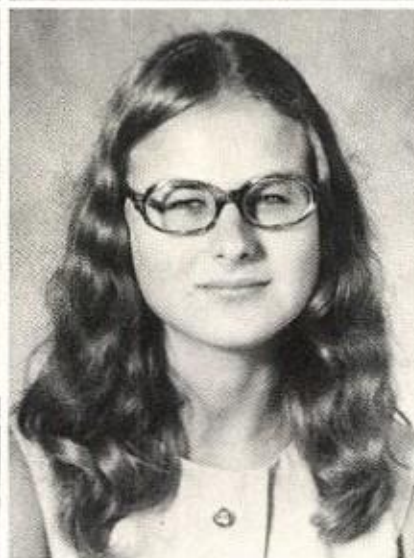
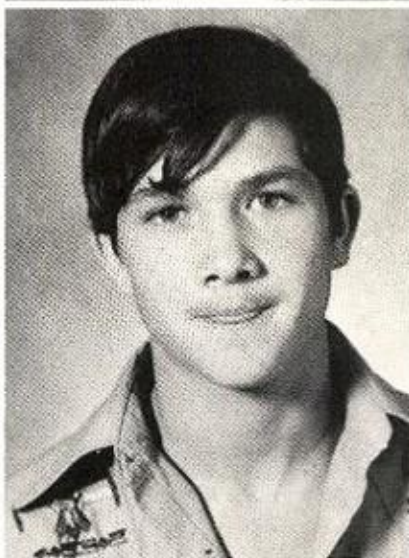




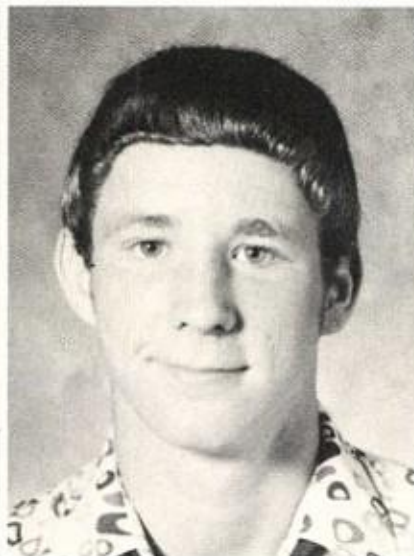
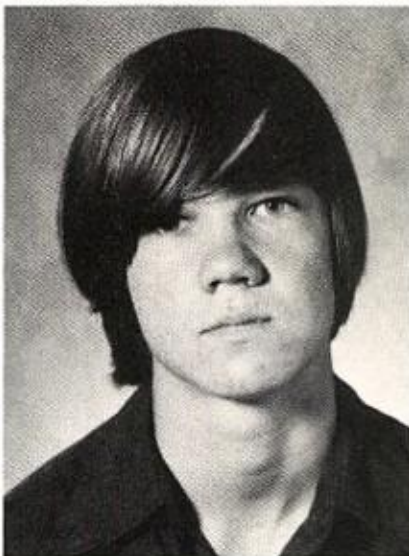
Judy Harris lends all ears during a lecture.



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Gene Smith



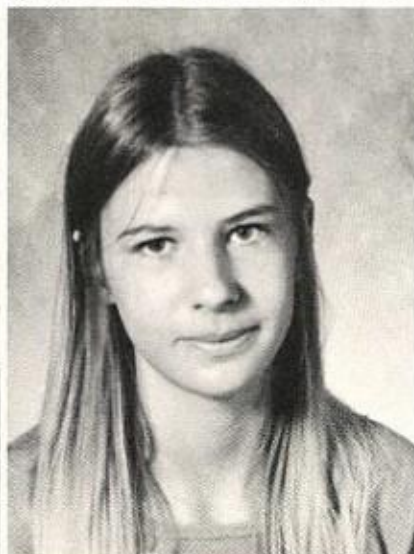
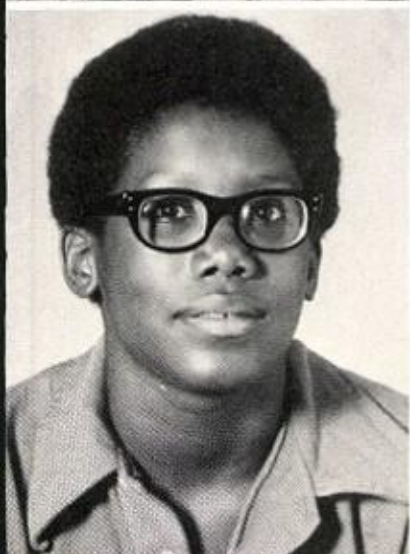
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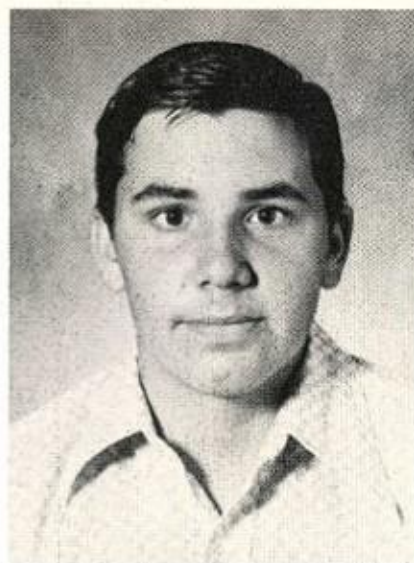


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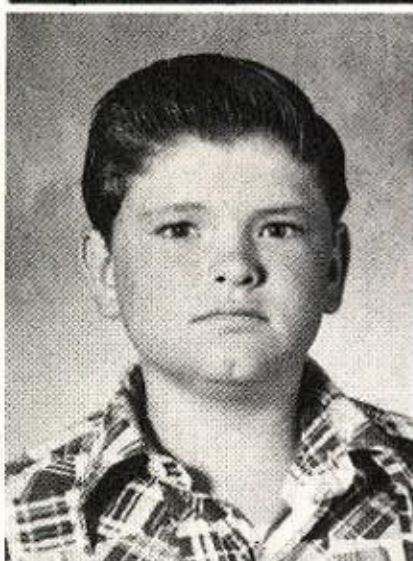


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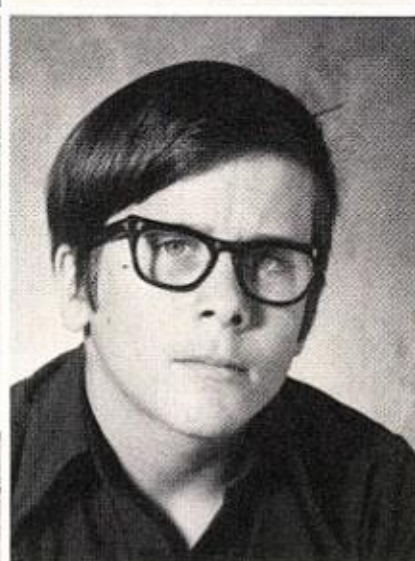
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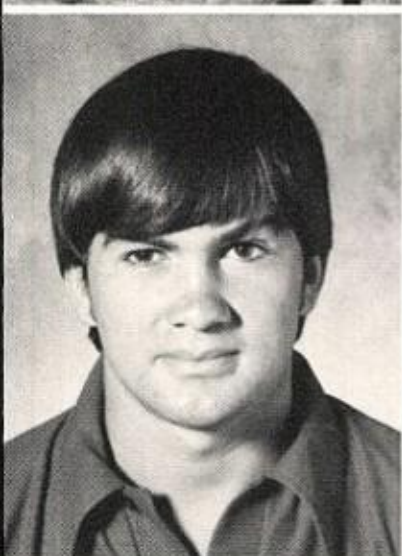




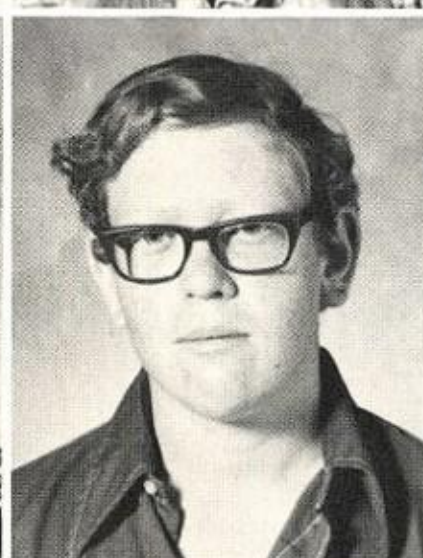
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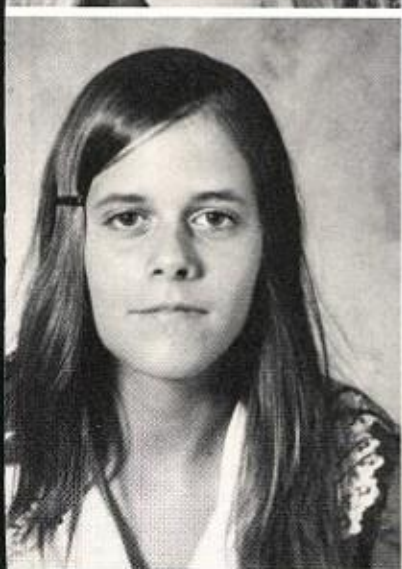
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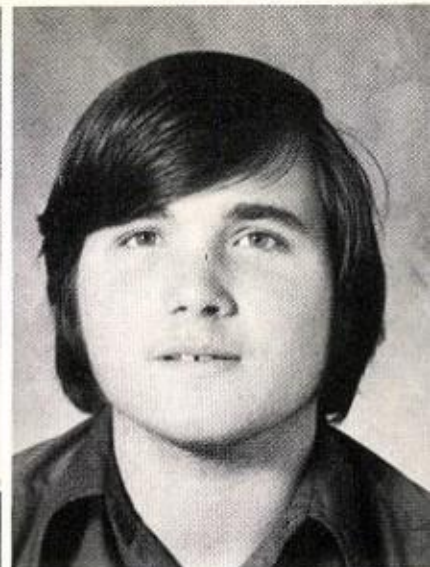
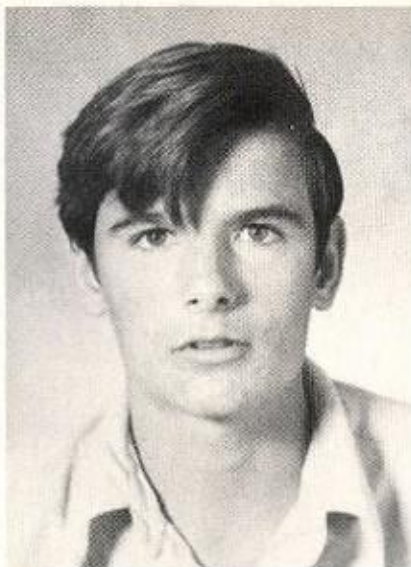


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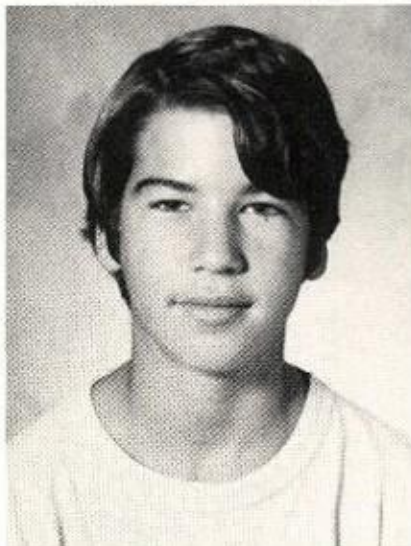


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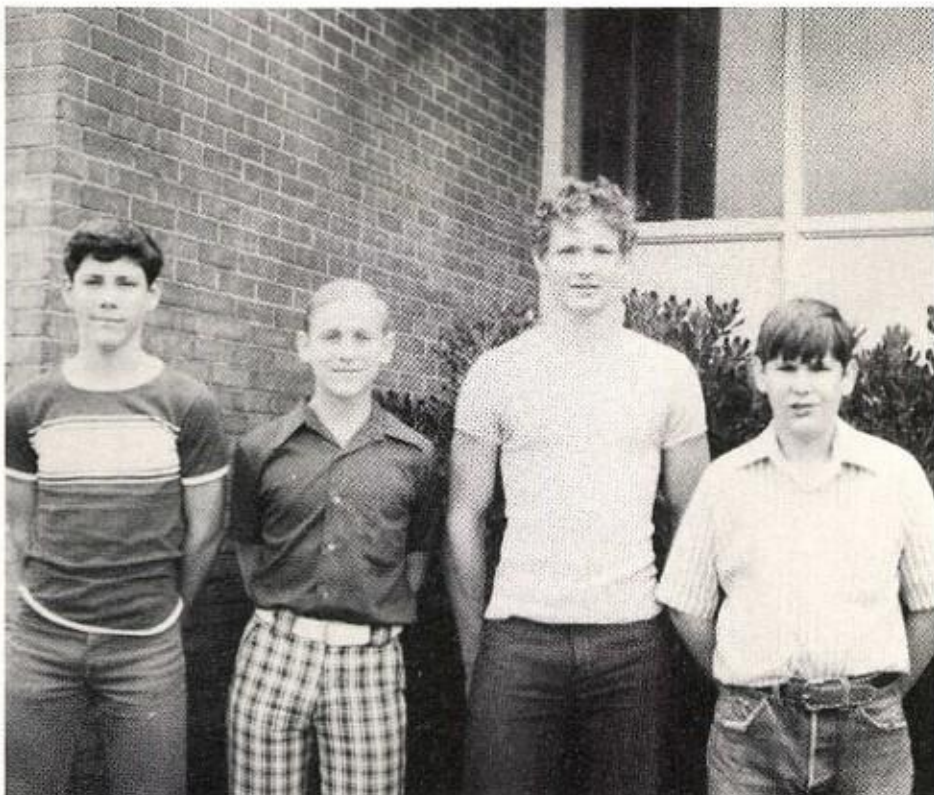
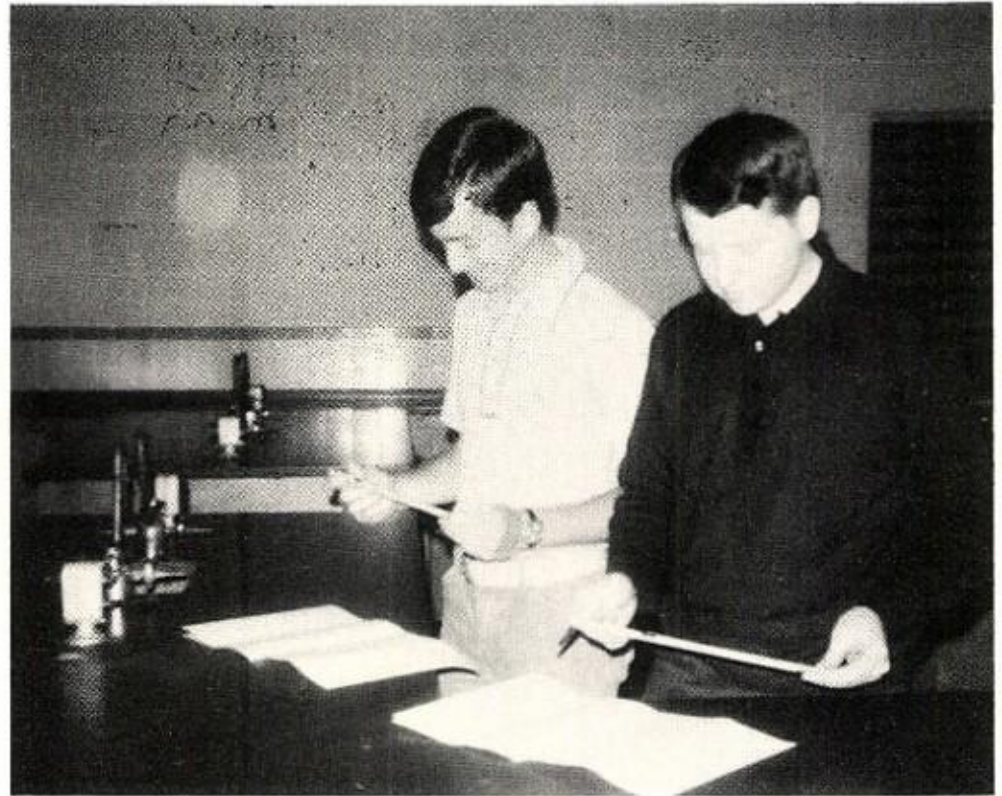
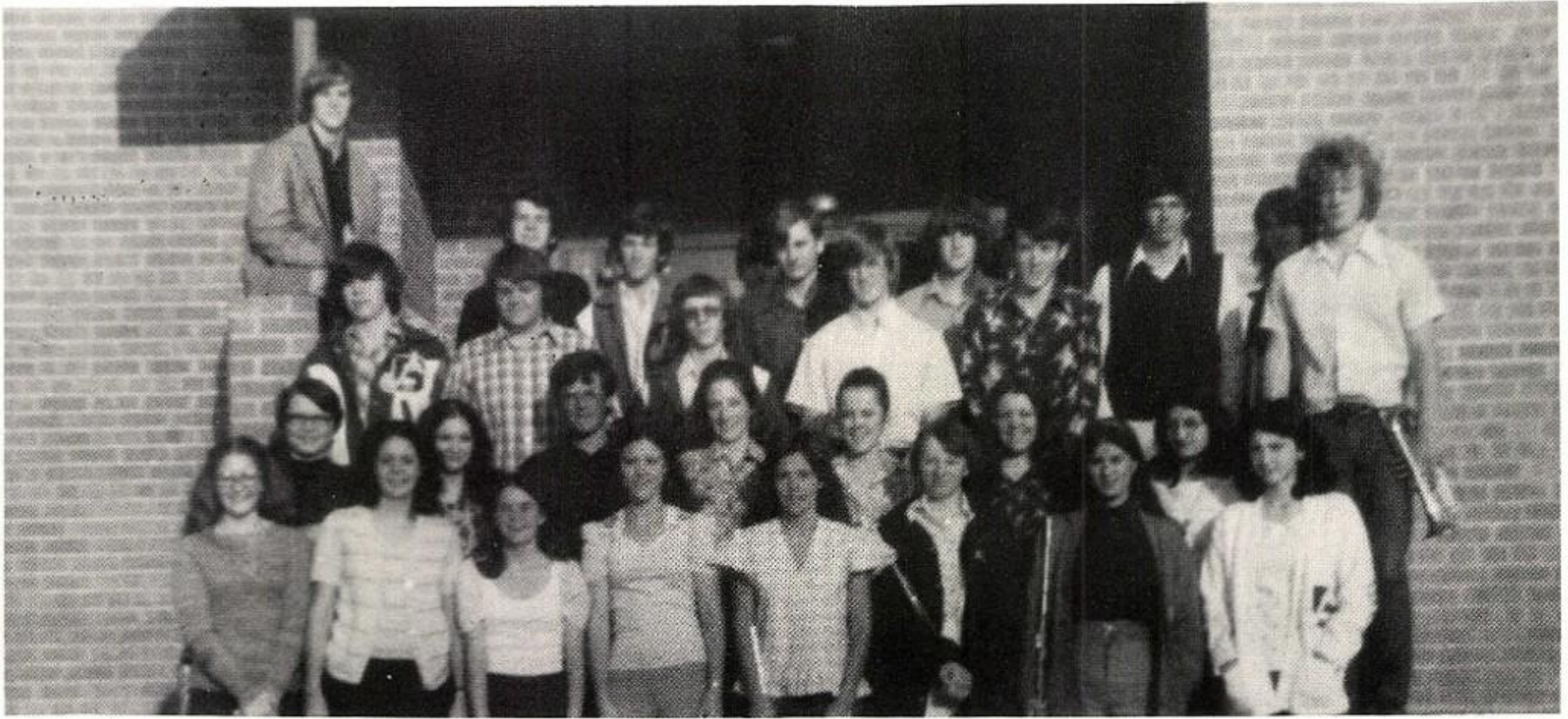


Bruce Youmans
Barry Young
Deanna Zabel



AUTOGRAPHS

UIL . . . MATH AND TMEA BAND



1975 showed a great many band students trying out for All-District Band. Both the response and the results were great.

Teague Byrd, Debbie Whitmire, Susan Walker, and Carol Vance advanced to Area and auditioned for the All-State Band. BHS should be proud to have such a fine band program.

The two students who went to UIL in the Slide Rule competition were Randy Hickerson and Eddie Fincher.

Those who went out for Number Sense were Bruce Mercer, Mark Fox, Greg Otrupcak, and Kyle Henderson.

SPEECH AND . . .



Mrs. Psencik was sponsor for UIL Speech events and One-Act Play. The one-act play cast included Darrell B., Barton C., Brenda B., Randall G., Sheryl A., Don W., Danny P., Ellen W., Ricky R., Jim W., and Bobby W. They were alternate one-act play in District.

Sheila Alexander, Sally Rutherford, and Chris O'Hara went out for Poetry Reading in UIL.

Randall Geer, Sheryl Alexander, Leah Rudasill, and Darrell Beauchamp were the Prose Readers for UIL.

Informative Speakers were Craig Smith and Leah Rudasill.

Martin Trammell and Ricky Robinson went out for UIL Persuasive Speaking.



LITERARY COMPETITION



Participation in Literary Competition increased greatly this year, with Mrs. Psencik as the sponsor.



Darlene Butler and Helen Wright participated in Headline Writing.

Eric Nelson and Darlene entered in the News Writing phase of the contest.

Eric Nelson and Darrell Beauchamp took part in Feature Writing.

Helen Wright and Sheryl Alexander entered in Editorial Writing, with Sheryl placing first and progressing to Region in Corpus Christi.

The Debate Team that went to Georgetown included Elizabeth Walston, Connie Smith, Erin Lamphere, and Carl Black.



BUSINESS AND SCIENCE



Mrs. Wood was the sponsor for Typing. Those going out were Sue Bartlett, Debbie Whitmire, Marsha Shiller, Mel Malone, Pam Hughling, and Steve Krotz.

Those going out for Science Facts were Boyce Cabaniss, Lana Johnson, and Carl Black (Not Pictured). Boyce won first in District, Region, and he missed being first at State by two points. We are all proud of Boyce for his outstanding achievement.

Jane Edmondson was the entrant for U.I.L. Spelling.

Jo Carroll and Bobby Wulf went out for the U.I.L. Ready Writing.

Shorthand entrants were Dana Floyd and Peggy Jackson. Dana won fourth place at District.



ACADEMICS . . . SHARING HARD WORK



CENTRAL OFFICE



The school board members for the 1974-75 school year are Odell Geer, R. D. Sanderford, Charley Powell, President; George Dulany, Secretary; and M. H. Cowan III. Not pictured is Benny Bay, Vice-President.

N. L. Douglas, the superintendent of the Belton Independent School District, has served area schools well for several years.



Mrs. Langston, superintendent's secretary.



BHS HAS HARD-WORKING ADMINISTRATORS



Royce Boren, a familiar face and principal at BHS, takes interest in all school-related activities. He is concerned with all aspects of student life on campus.

As assistant principal, Mark Anderson's primary duties are those related to attendance and disciplinary problems.

Mrs. Linda Fowler not only does clerical work in the office but is also responsible for special student services.

Taking care of registers and teachers' files is Mrs. Brown, our state funded aid.

Mrs. Shirley Hughes and Elvin Tomlinson return for another year as counselors. They schedule the students' courses and provide information about various colleges around the state.





A party was held for this year's retiring faculty members. At this party, which was hosted by the teachers of the English department, silver bowls were presented to the

honorees.

They were also given silver platters by the administration at the last faculty meeting of the year.

LOUISE BARNES

SENIOR ENGLISH

Louise Barnes has been teaching in Belton schools for sixteen years. She has taught English in both the traditional classroom method and

under the new LAP system. Her husband, O. A. Barnes, was business manager for the B.I.S.D. for several years preceding his retirement. Following her retirement, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes plan to work on their hobbies and do some traveling and fishing.



GERTRUDE YORK

LIBRARIAN

Gertrude York has been employed in Belton schools for twenty-one years. For many years, she has been librarian at Belton High School. Mrs. York has kept the library well-stocked with up-to-date books as well as magazines and newspapers. Besides being the librarian, Mrs. York has also been financial sponsor of THE LAIR for quite some time, and has been a great help to the staff.



FACULTY NOSTALGIA



Lilla Barnes

Louise Barnes

Joy Brock

Joe Brooks



David Coppin

Diana Cowan

Oleta Cox

Richard Crain



Many faculty members as well as students participated in "Fifties Day" at Belton High. Shown here is Mrs. Evans looking on as several students do the "Bunny Hop".



Betty Critchfield

Chester Critchfield

Elizabeth Cunningham

Frances Dalton

Charles Douglas

Janice Douglas

Vivian Eads

Rilla Eproson



Weeta Evans

Stan Fowler



Stan Fowler



Mrs. Smithson discusses the ad section with Ronnie Maddux, annual business manager.

Ed Franklin

Frances Glazener

Prudie Harvey

Judy Heartfield



Geraldean Hitt

Tommy Hood

Chris Houy

Peggy Hughes





Sharon James

Bob Johnson

Joe B. Jones

Wayne Langford



Connie Long

Charles Lott

Van Maedgen

Grace McDonald



Ed Mitchell

George Moore

Charles Newman

Shirley Patterson



Marjo Poole

Dorothy Potts

Kay Psencik

Ronald Ray



Jamie Reichert

Doug Ruthven

Patsy Saffold

Patsy Sanford

FACULTY BOOSTS SCHOOL SPIRIT



Cheerleaders for the "Super Teachers" boost spirit at the Honor Society and Faculty volleyball game.

Janice Schiller

Betty Sitz

Bill Smith

Maxine Smithson



Ann Speer

Diana Stroud

Jimmy Stroud

Hugh Sullivan

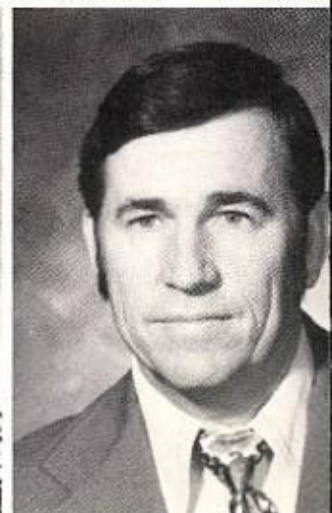


Lanelle Welch

Rodger Welch

Doris West

Charles Wilcox



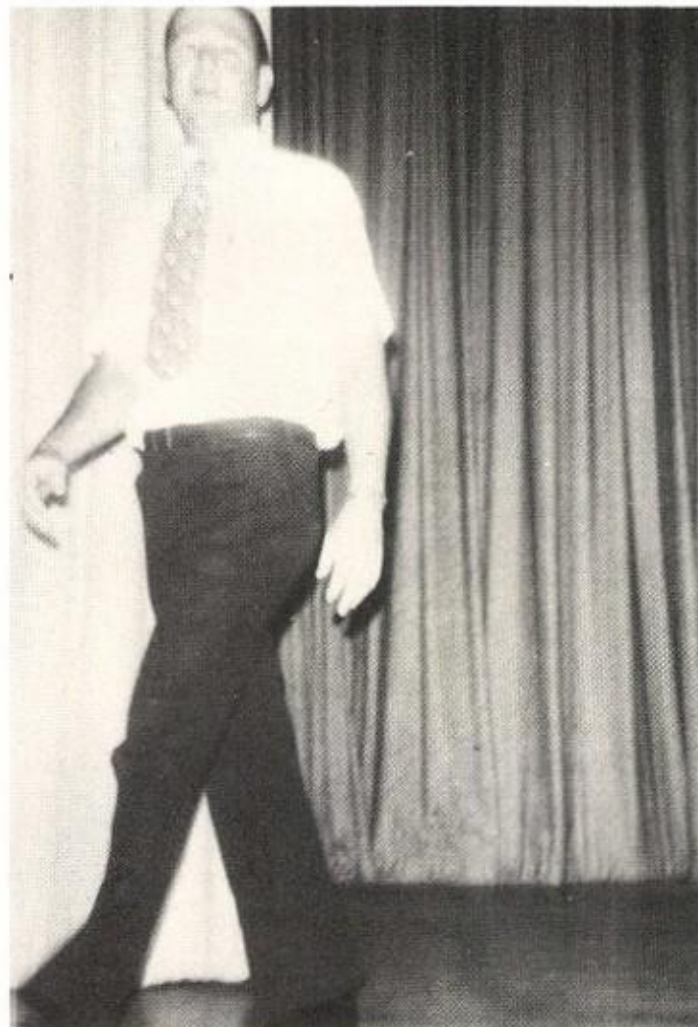


Phyllis Wick

James Williams

Louise Wood

Gertrude York

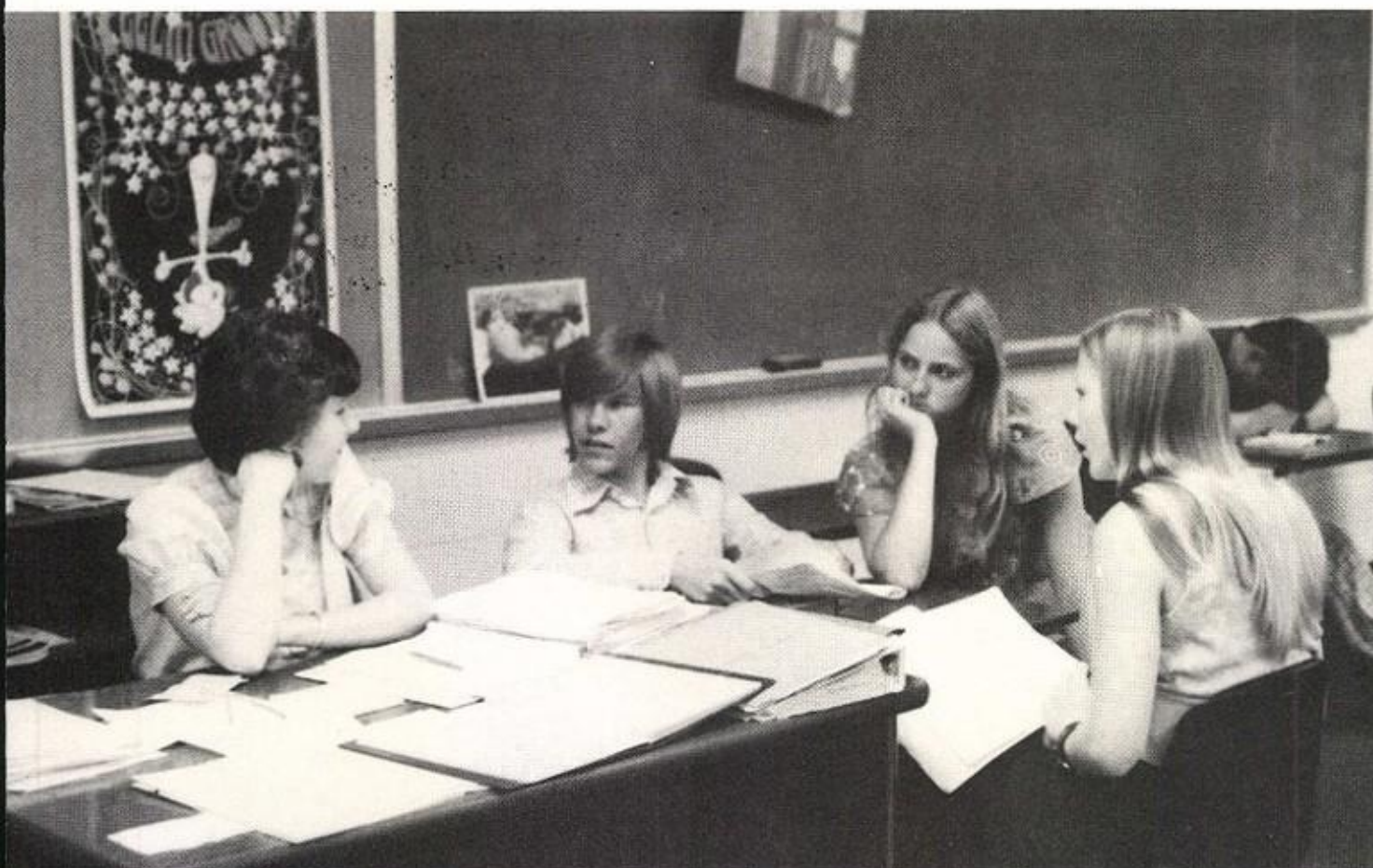


The new auto mechanics teacher at Belton High is Robert Brock, who had a year's experience as an instructor in the army.

Mr. Anderson strolls across the stage after making preparations for the 1975-1976 cheerleader try-outs.

Mr. Welch is caught by surprise while napping at an FFA Leadership Campout at the lake.

During a conference, Mrs. Peggy Hughes gives advice to some of her sophomore English students.



OFFICE ASSISTANTS

Rita Kifer
Becky Otrupcak
Estelline Miller
Becky Kennedy
Sandy Gholson
Alice Janeway
Lisa Sanders



Marion Truitt
Cathy Jones
Debbie Bird
Kelli Lamphere
Kathy Yearwood
Debbie Whitmire
Lisa Mizell
Dana Welch



Marion Truitt
Jo Ann Fort
Cal Stowers
Vanessa Armstrong
Debbie Hood
Debbie Northcutt
Belinda Carlisle
Molly Gosney



STUDENTS ASSIST LIBRARIAN



Each year, Mrs. York has several students who help her in the library. Among other things, these students check out and shelve books and help other students in finding references. This year's library assistants are Bonnie Cockerham, Tamara Lancaster, Cheryl McKay, James Woods, Donna West, Sylvia Castillo, Mary Patterson, Kay Haynes, and Wyatt Phillips. These people have been a great help in maintaining our library.

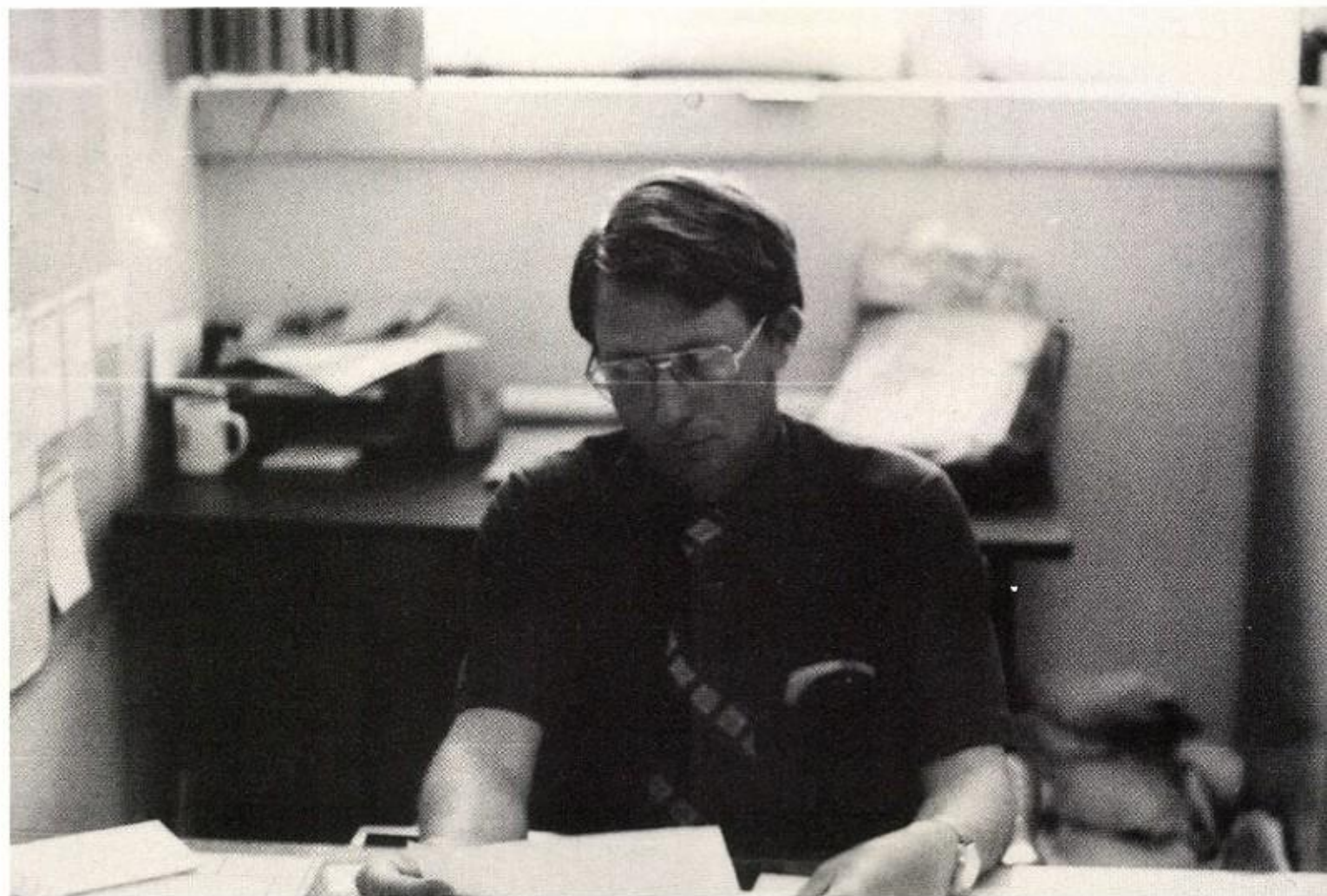


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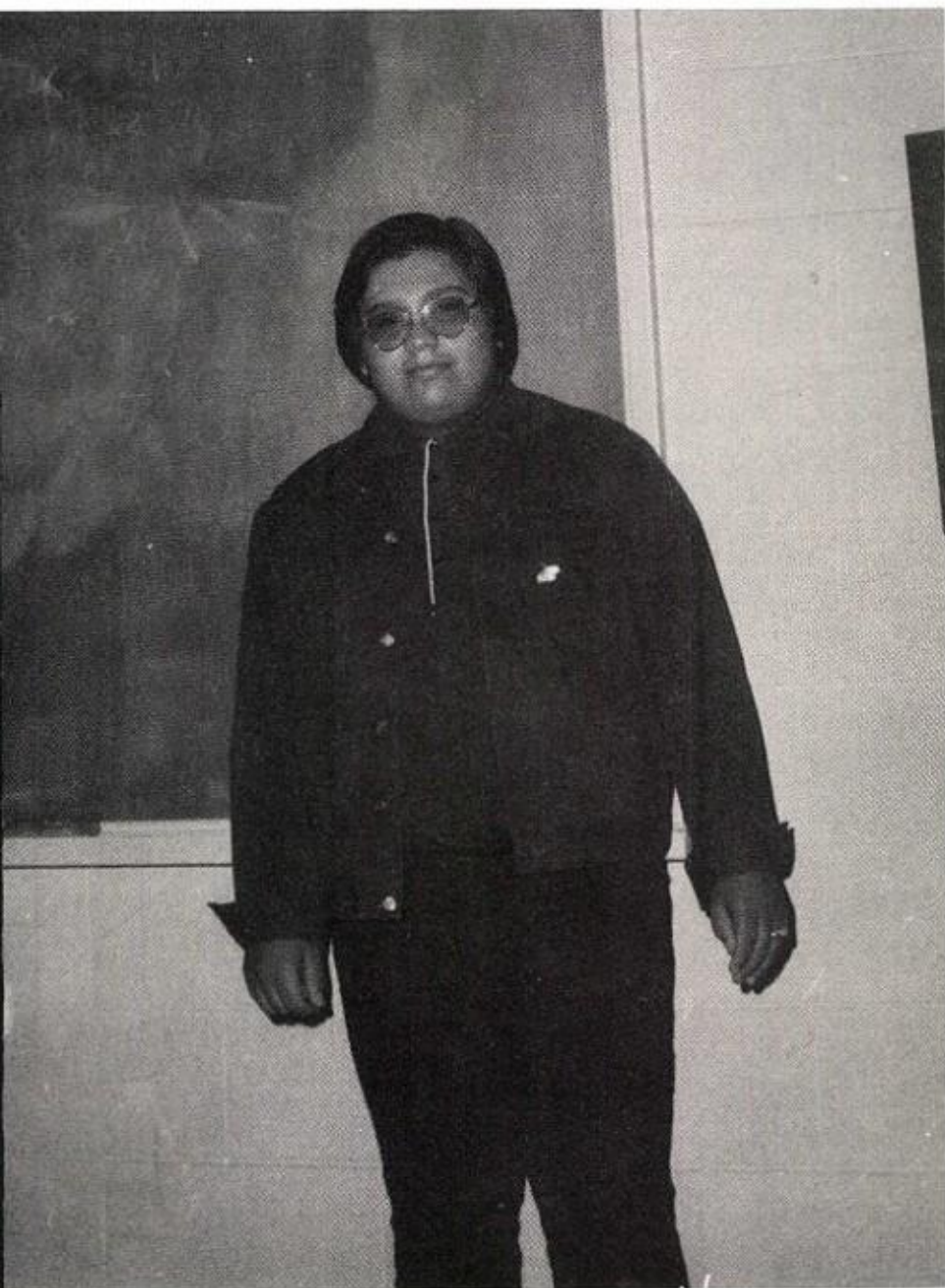
Alex McKee, Director of Transportation and Maintenance, plays an important role in the school district. Besides being in charge of all school buses and their routes, he is also responsible for all film distribution and maintenance.

This year's bus drivers are Clarence Winkler, O.V. Hall, Pat O'Neal, Howell Otis Cearley, Jr., and Floyd Richards.

Not pictured: Charles Newman, Bill Smith, Terry Hood, Morteza Fazili, Curtis Graham, James Burrell, Charles Wilcox, O.C. Byrd, Fred Grimm, Ed Mitchell, and Doug Reed.

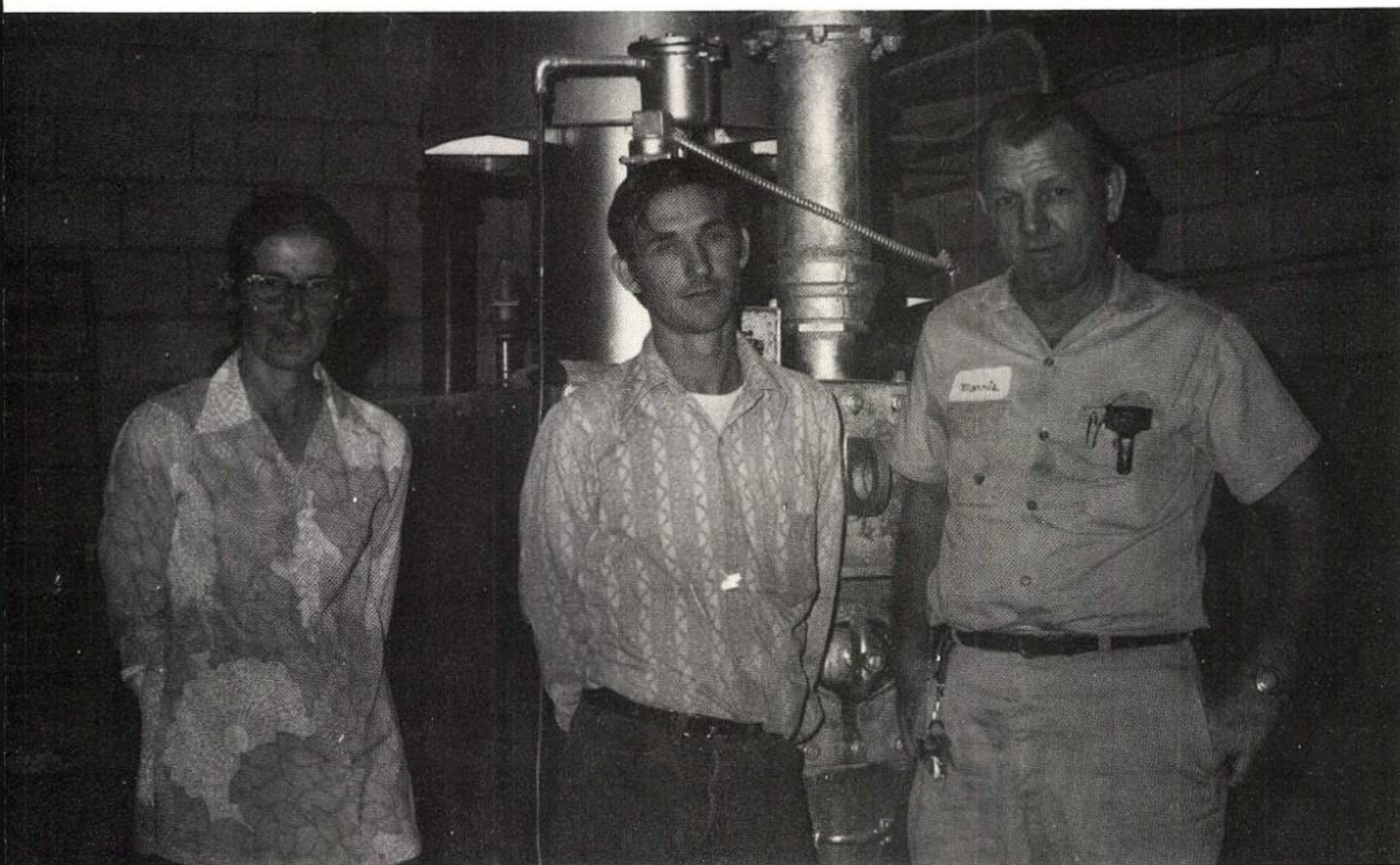


SANITATION ENGINEERS



This year's custodians are Frank Ortega, part time main building; Lee Grimm, maintenance; Nettie Kibodeaux and Bobby Karl, full-time main building; and Morris Curry, head custodian.

Not pictured: Mr. Morin, Mr. Smallwood, Mr. Crumley, and Mr. Dickinson, who at one part of the year worked in the gym; Rev. and Mrs. Johnson, band hall.

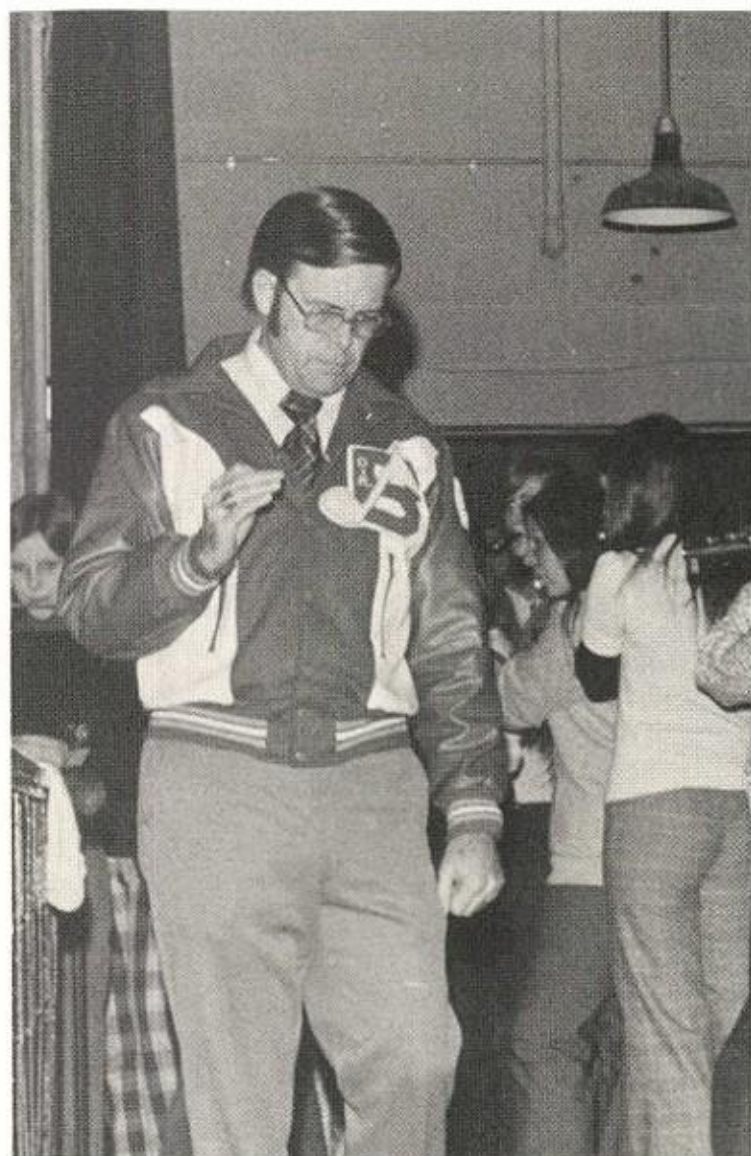




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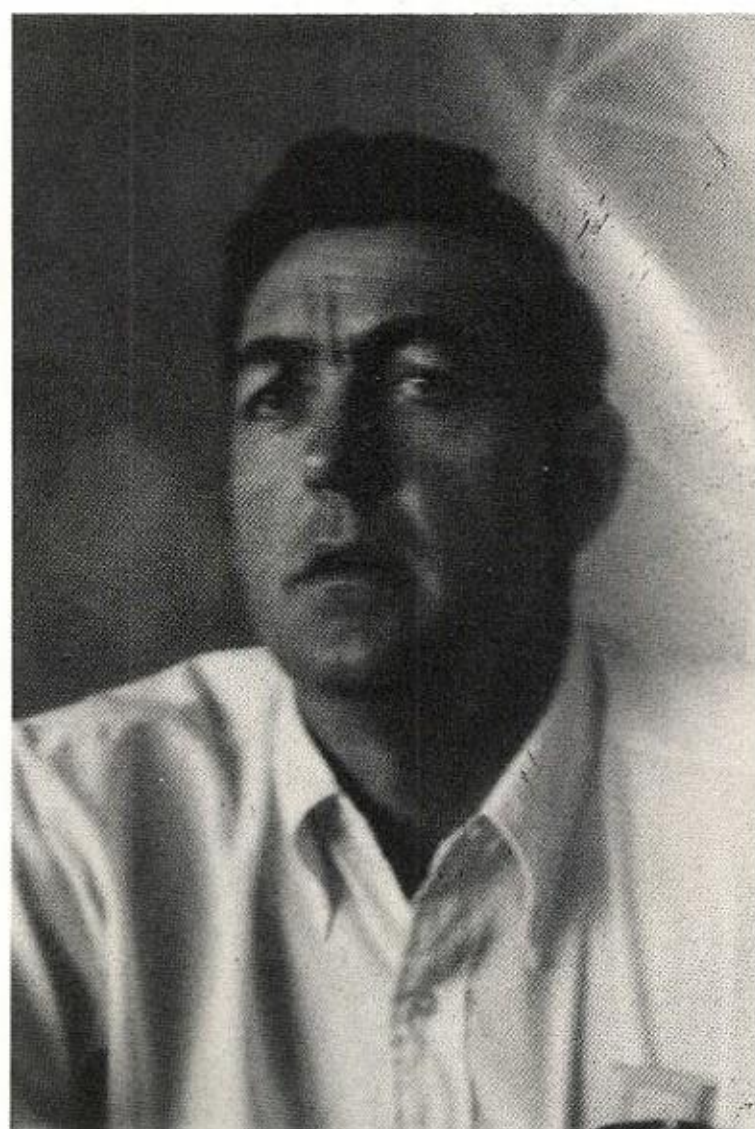
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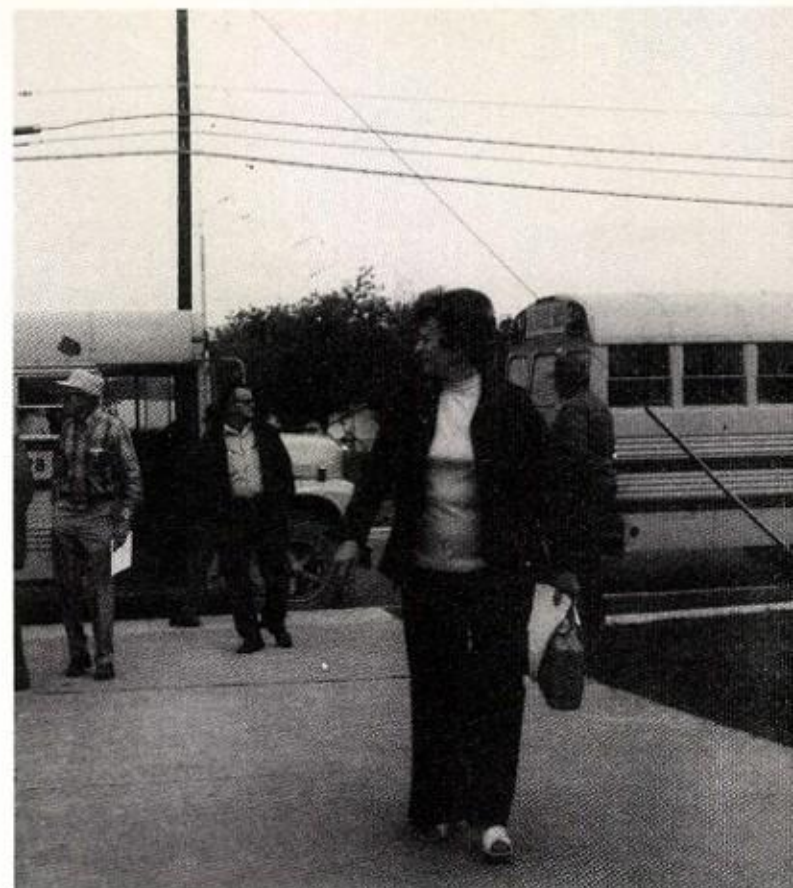
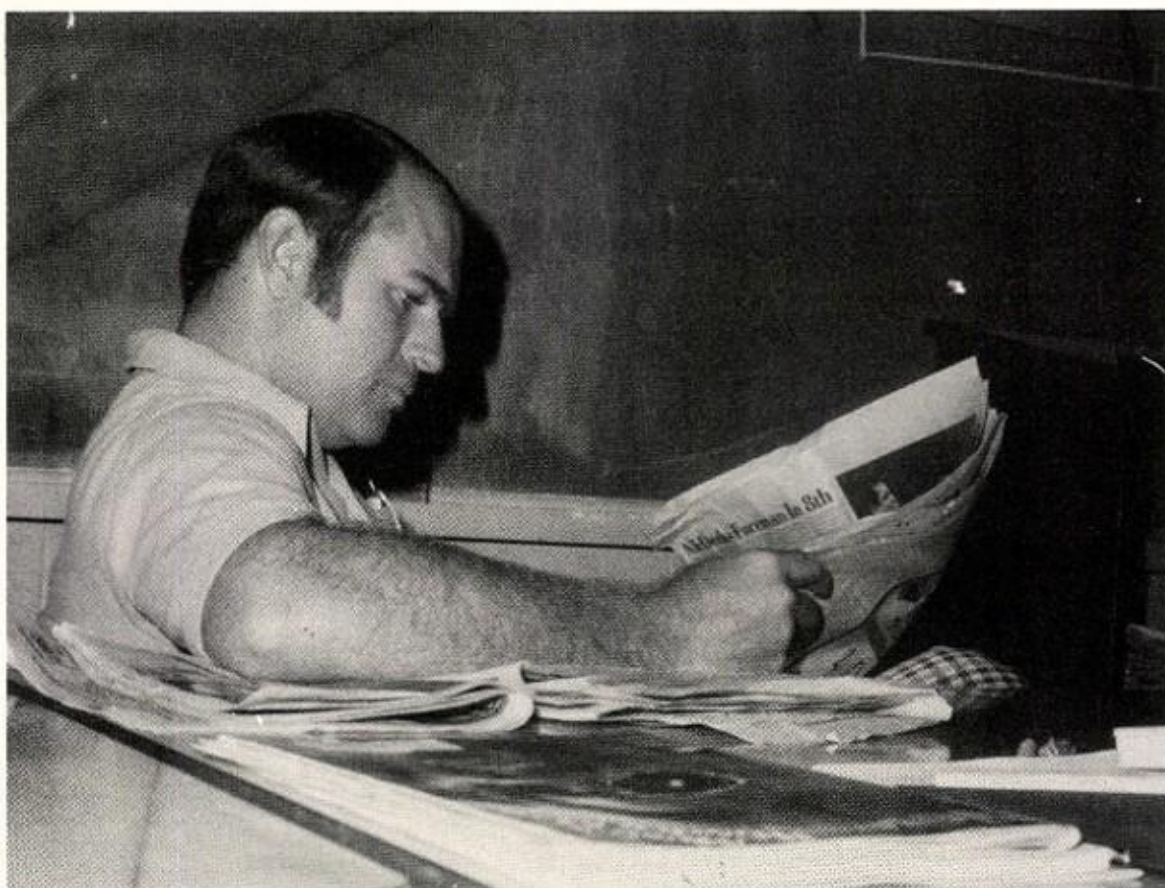




Faculty members find time to relax during a party given for retiring members by teachers in the English department.

Coach Joe Brooks is perplexed by some of the questions asked by his geometry students.





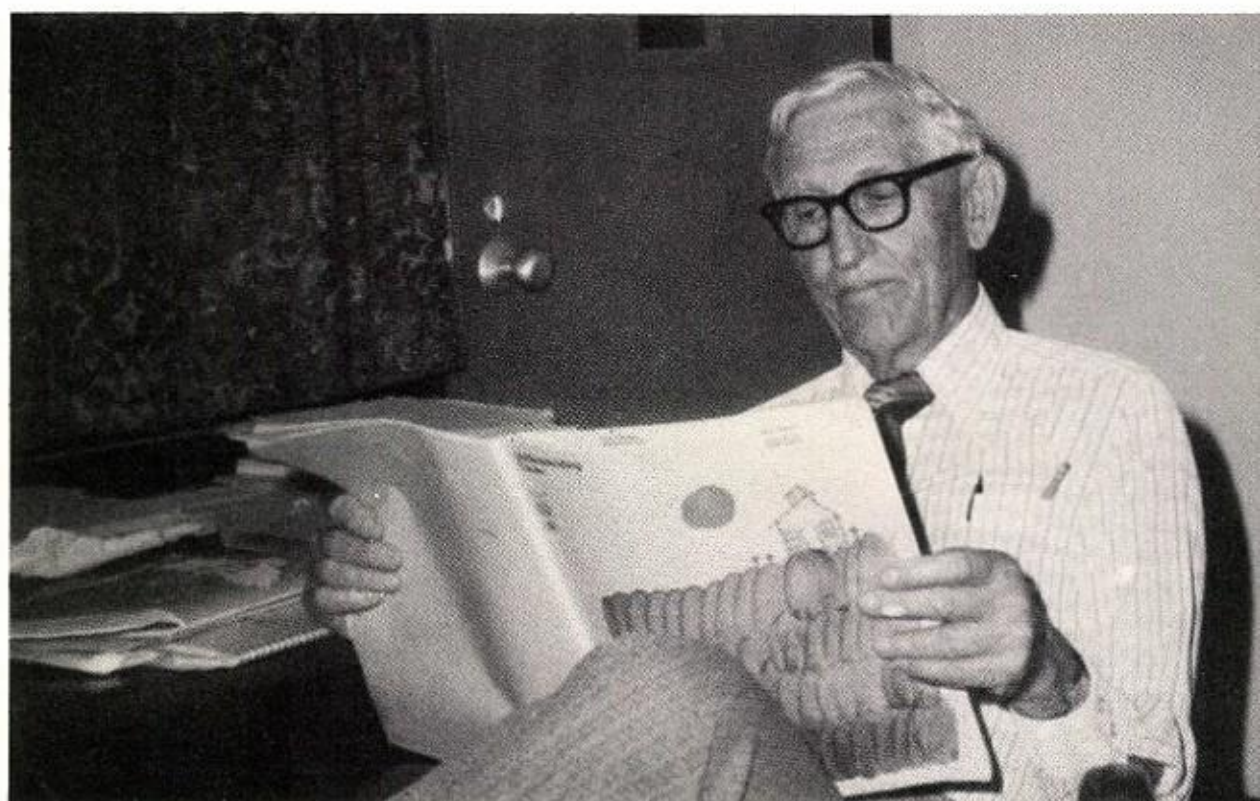
Coach Douglas contemplates the Ali-Foreman fight in his spare time.

Mrs. Dorothy Potts walks to her office to begin another long day at work after completing plans for seniors to make the industrial tour.

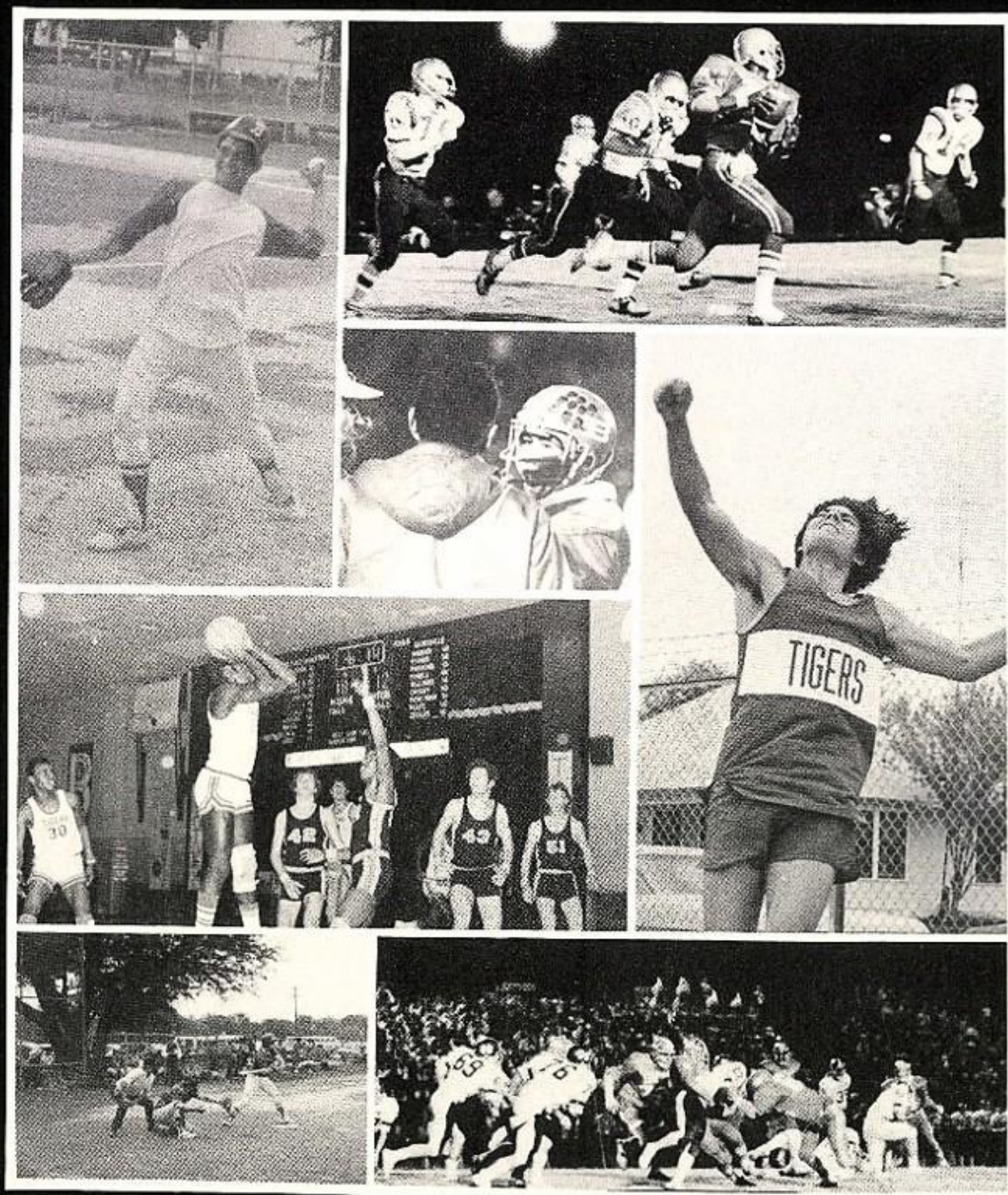
Taking time out of his busy schedule to relax with some reading is Mr. Ed Franklin.

Shown are several teachers enjoying a Christmas party given at the home of Mrs. Lilla Barnes, singing along as Mrs. Ann Speer pumps the player piano.

Mr. Boren relaxes with associate at the annual VOE Christmas coffee.



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PRE-SEASON WARM UP

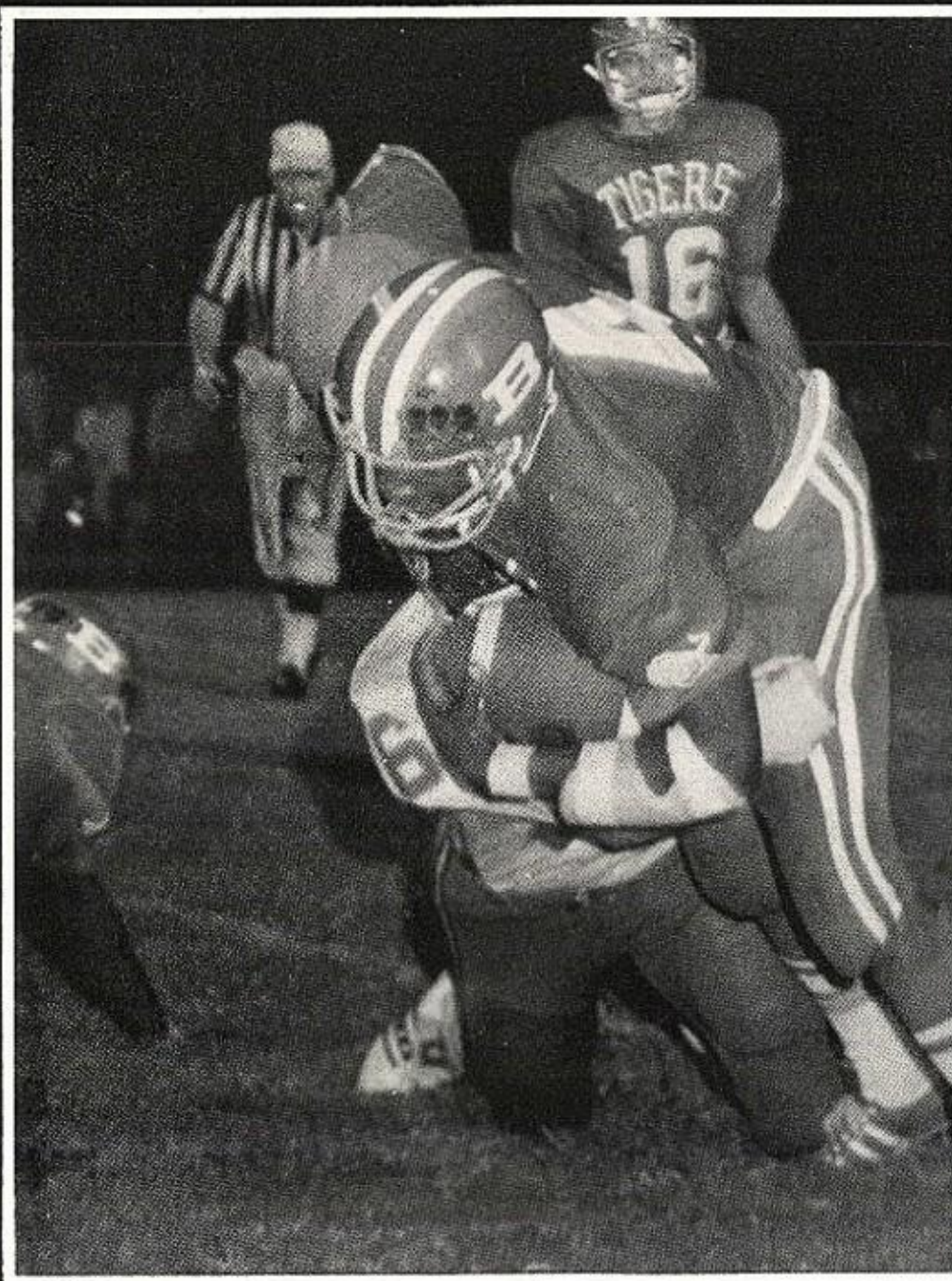
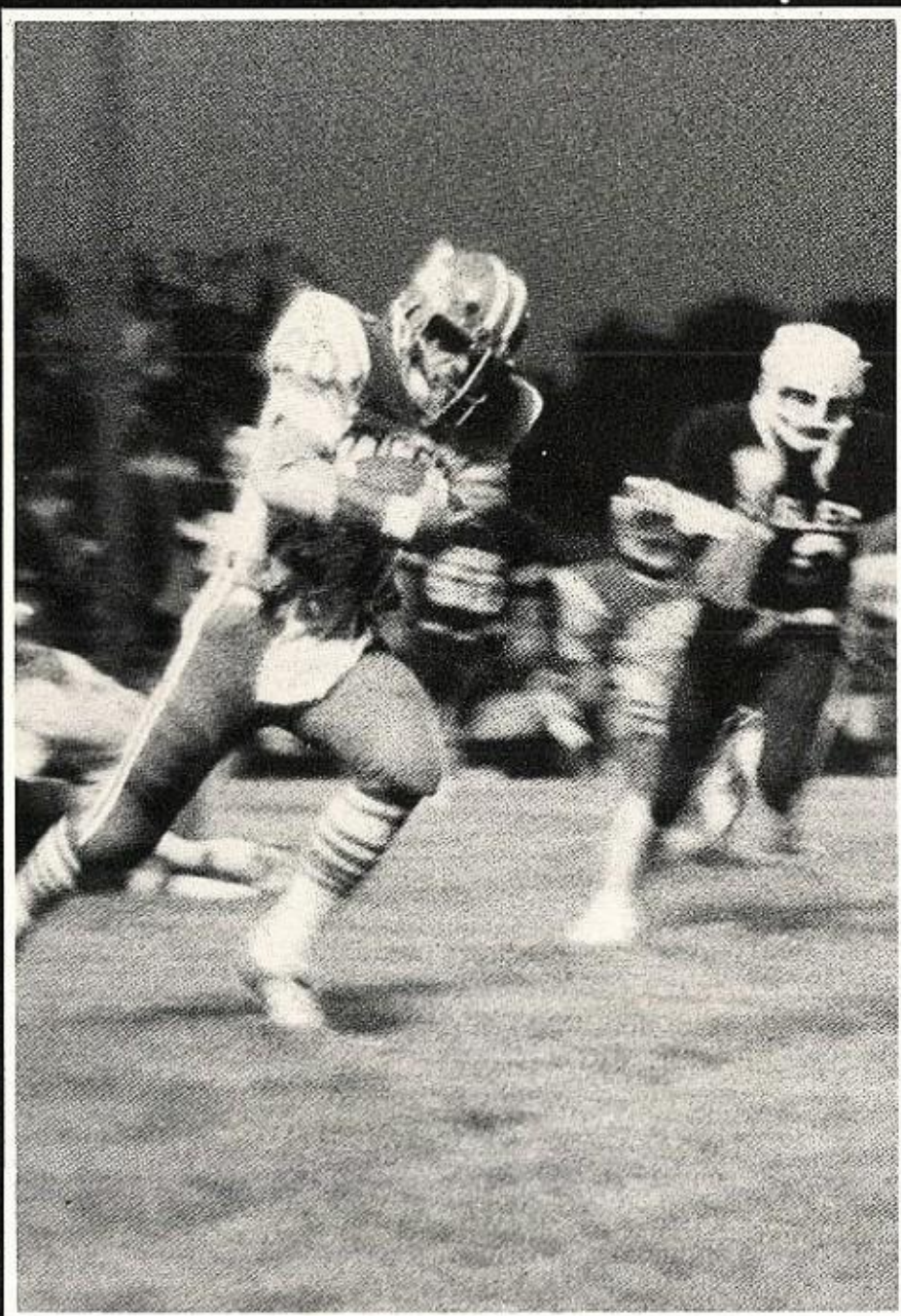
The Belton Big Red Tigers showed their strength in the pre-season games.

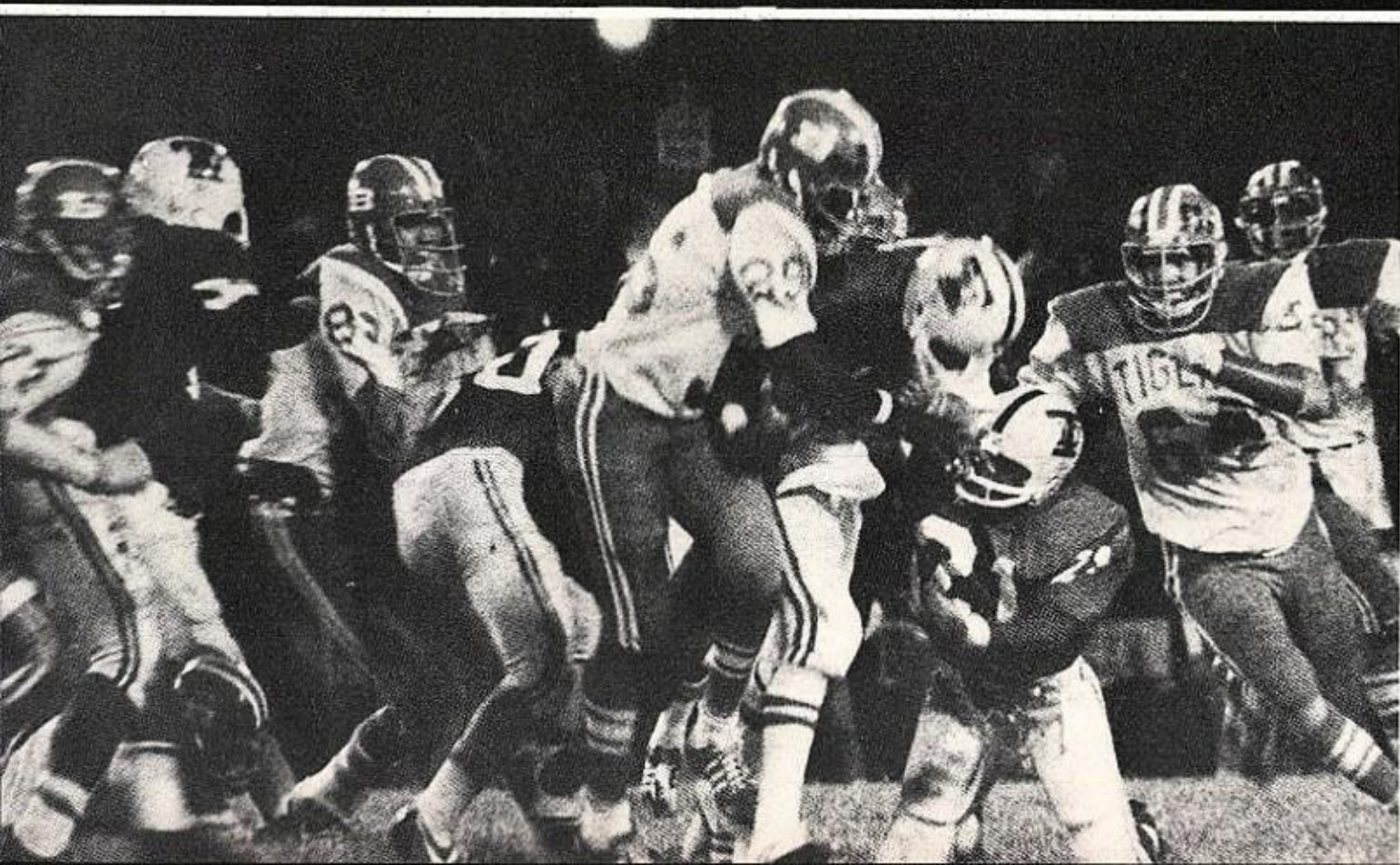
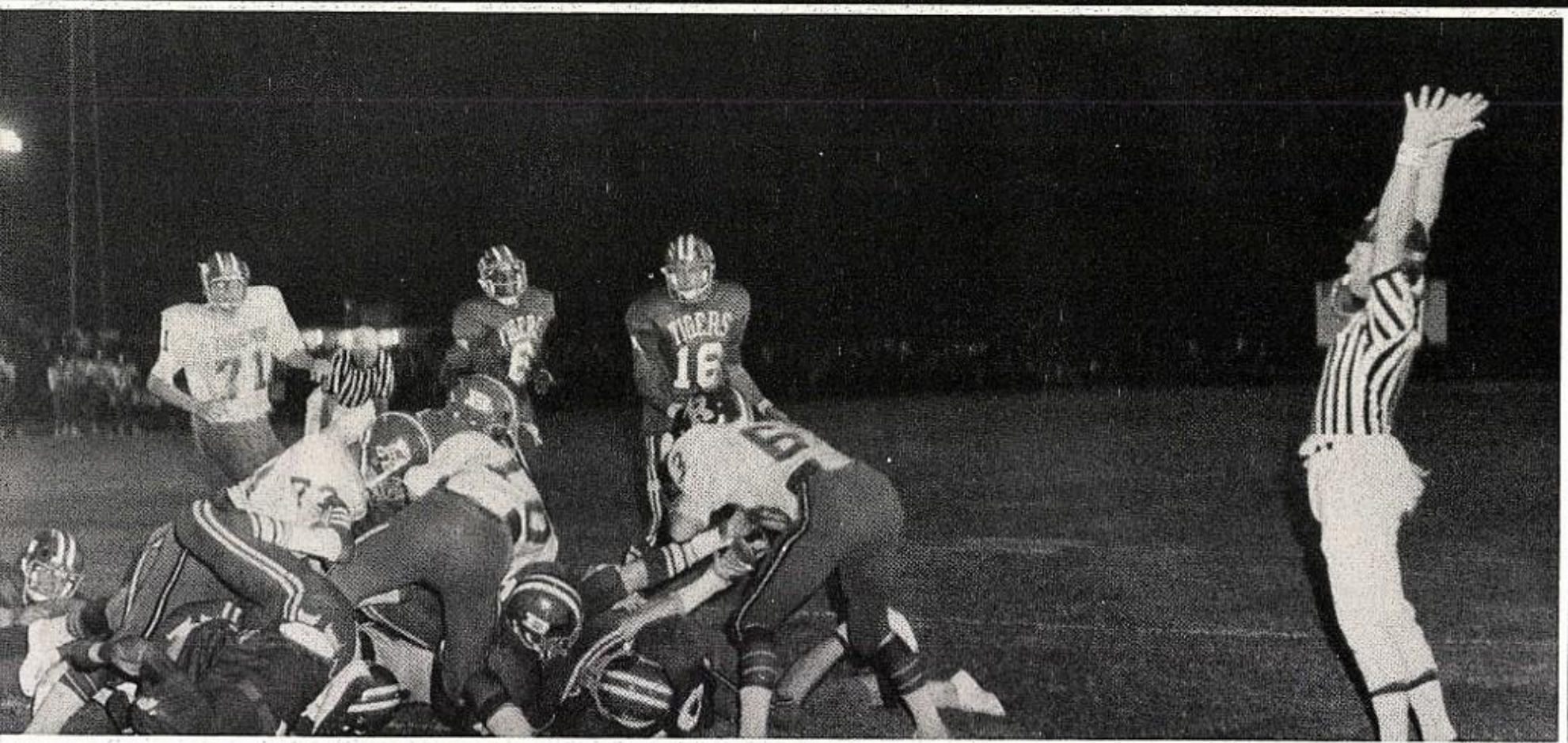
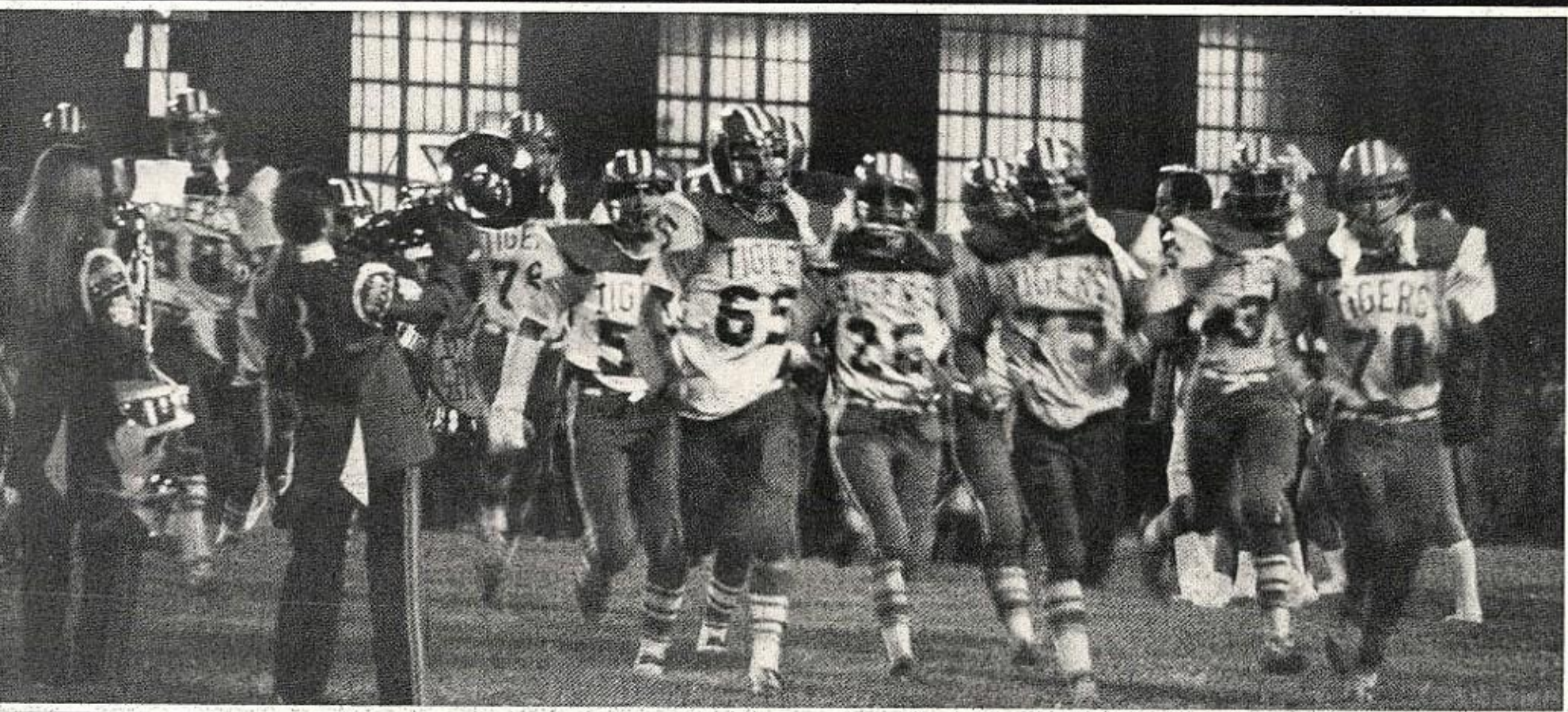
OPPONENTS		BIG RED
Hearne	6	28
Brenham	8	23
Cameron	0	0
Rockdale	2	21
Round Rock	0	24
Taylor	10	10

A Belton receiver is trying to get together with the ball for some yardage in the Round Rock game.

David Roepke is running hard for a touchdown against the Hearne Eagles.

Bryan Sweeney is reaching for some needed yardage. Big Red finished pre-season with three wins and two ties. With pre-season over, the Tigers were ready for district games.





The Big Red Tigers opened the 1974 football season with a 28-6 win over the Hearne Eagles.

The Tigers run back on after halftime. Belton is shown with another touchdown.

At the Rockdale game Tigers defense is making it hard for the Taylor Ducks to gain any yardage.

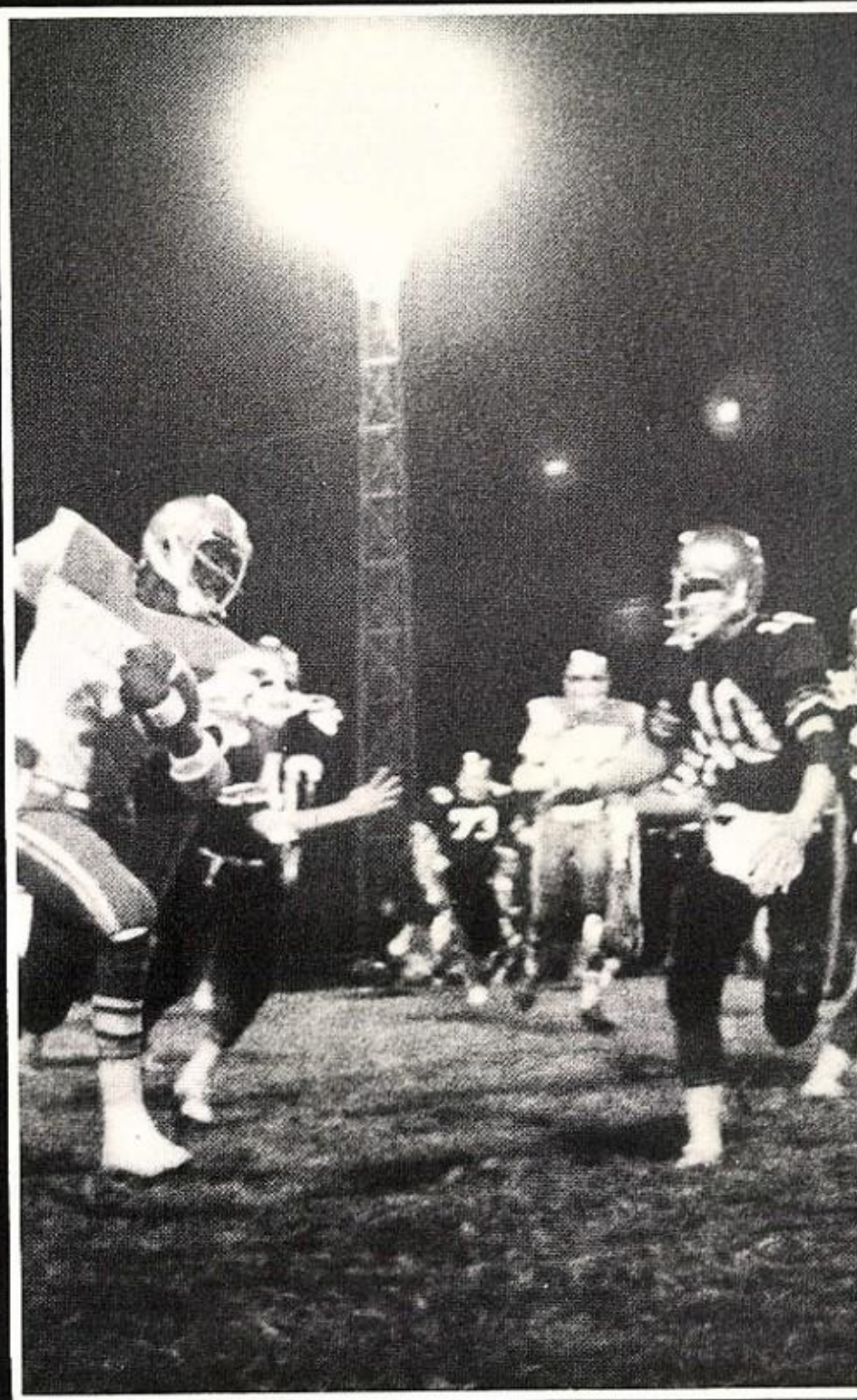
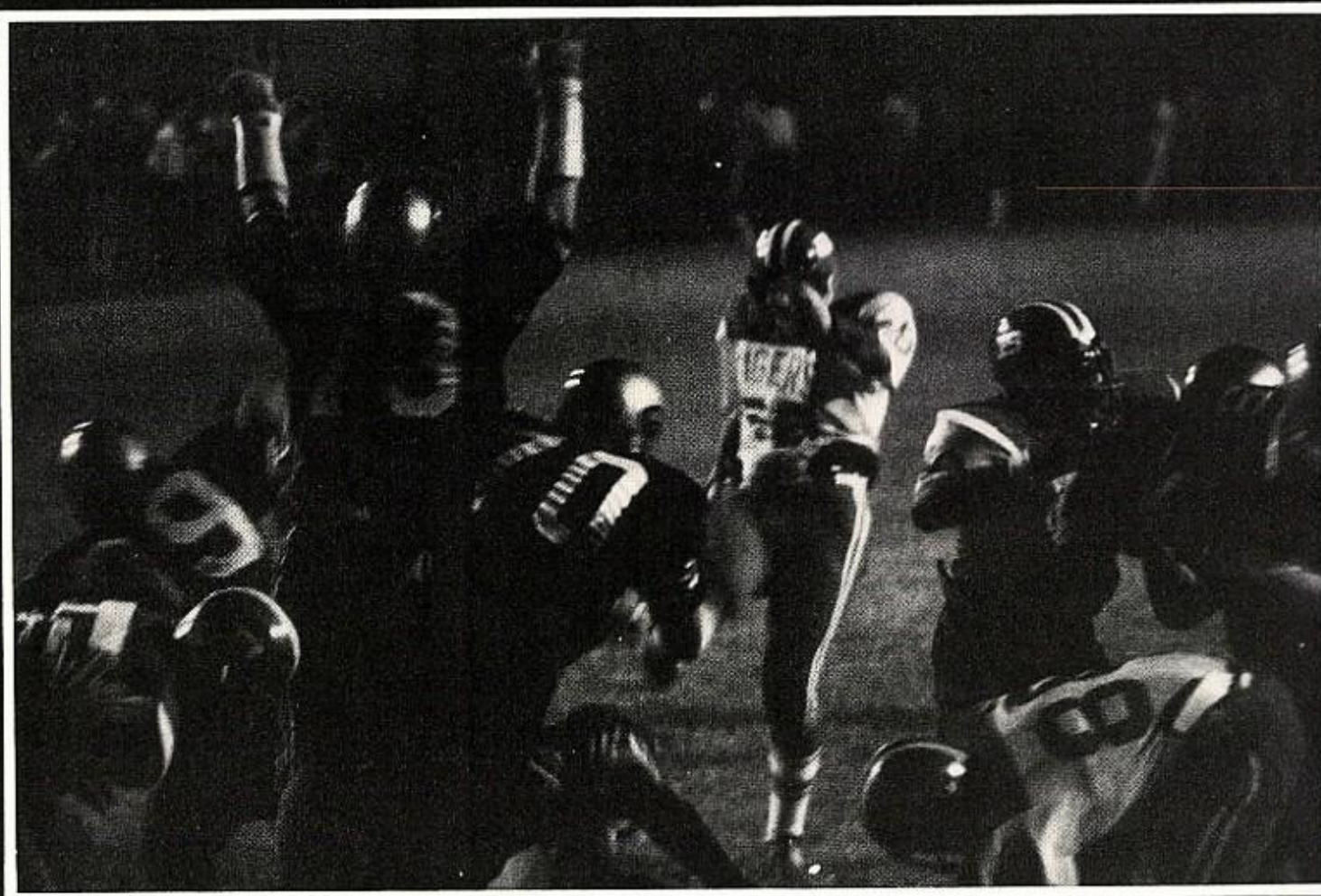
TIGERS GRIND GATESVILLE 29-0

One of the oldest rivalries in the district exists between Belton and the Gatesville Hornets. The Hornets fell by a score of 29-0 in the first district game.

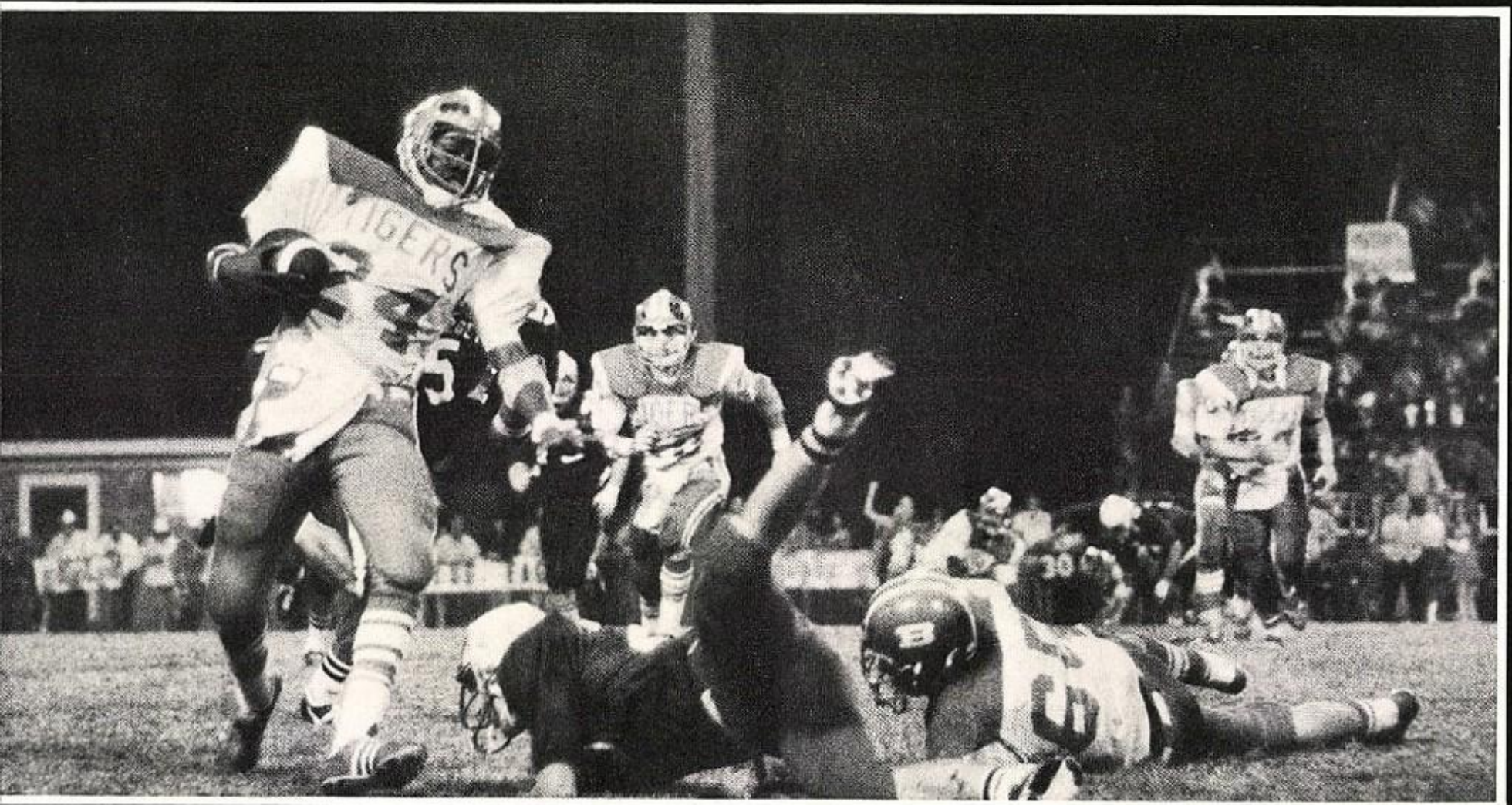
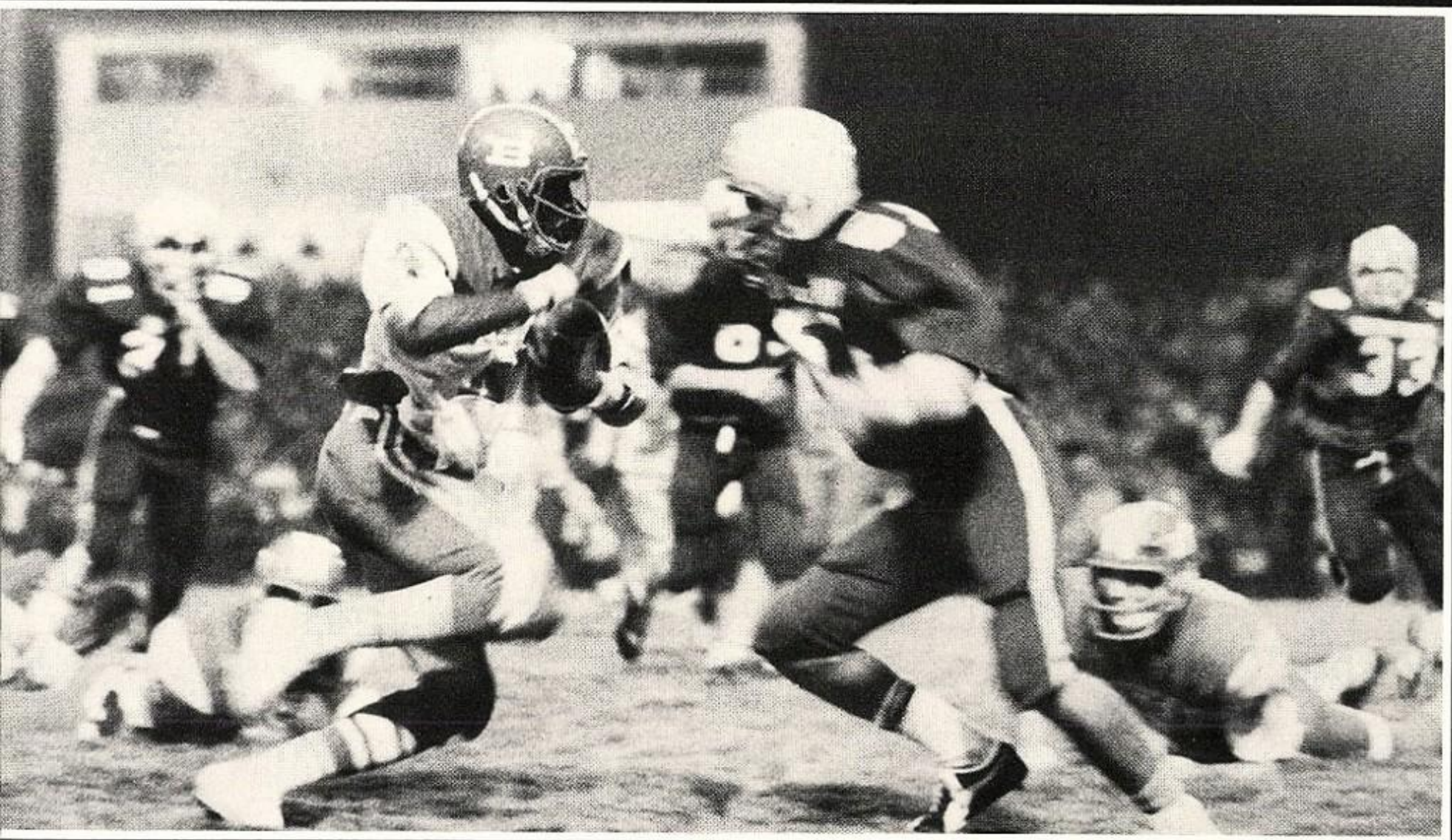
In the top picture Ted Williams kicks a good PAT.

David Roepke is shown running for another first down.

Bryan Sweeney runs for another touchdown in the game.



TIGERS CRUSH GEORGETOWN 27-0

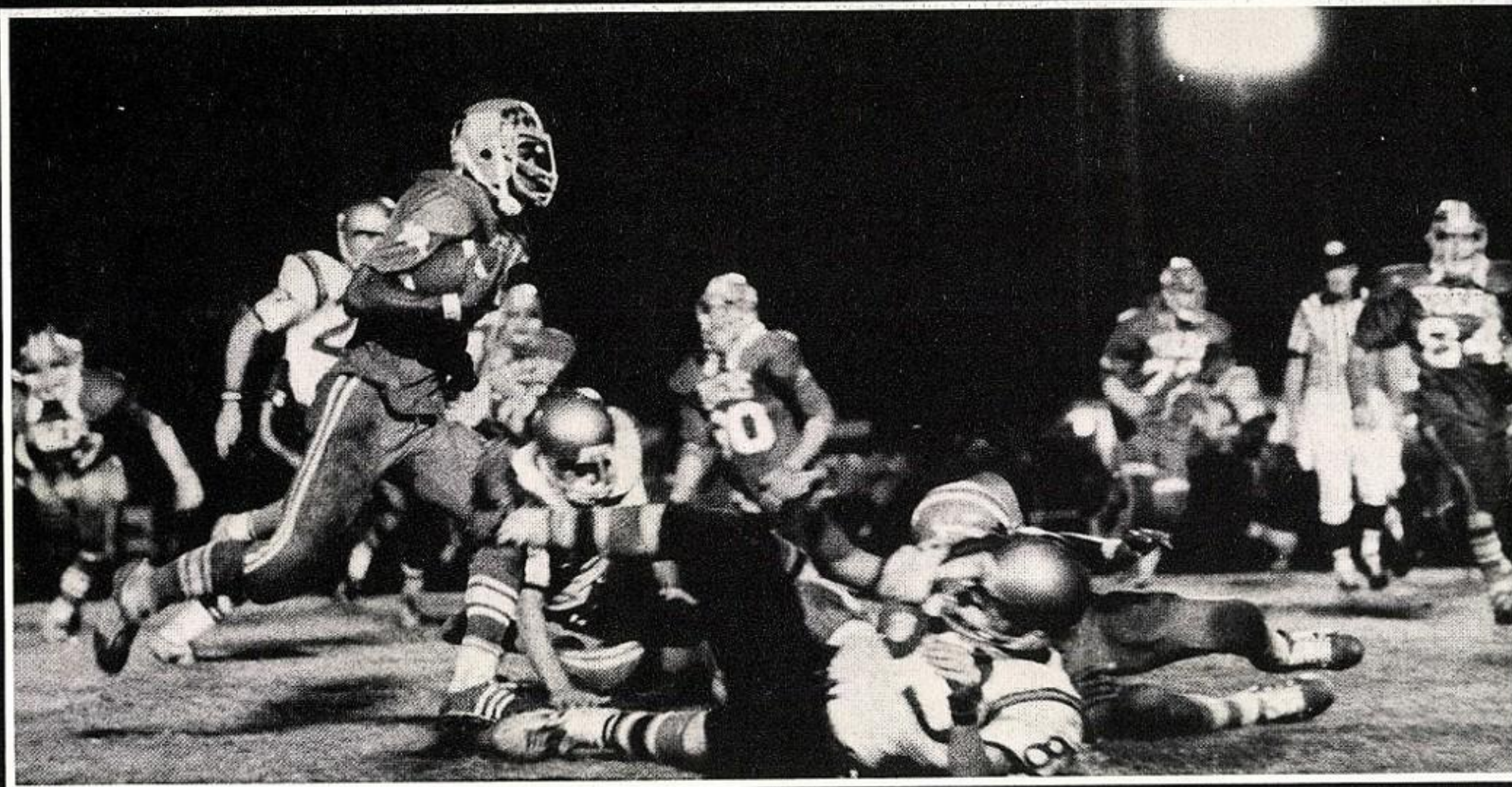
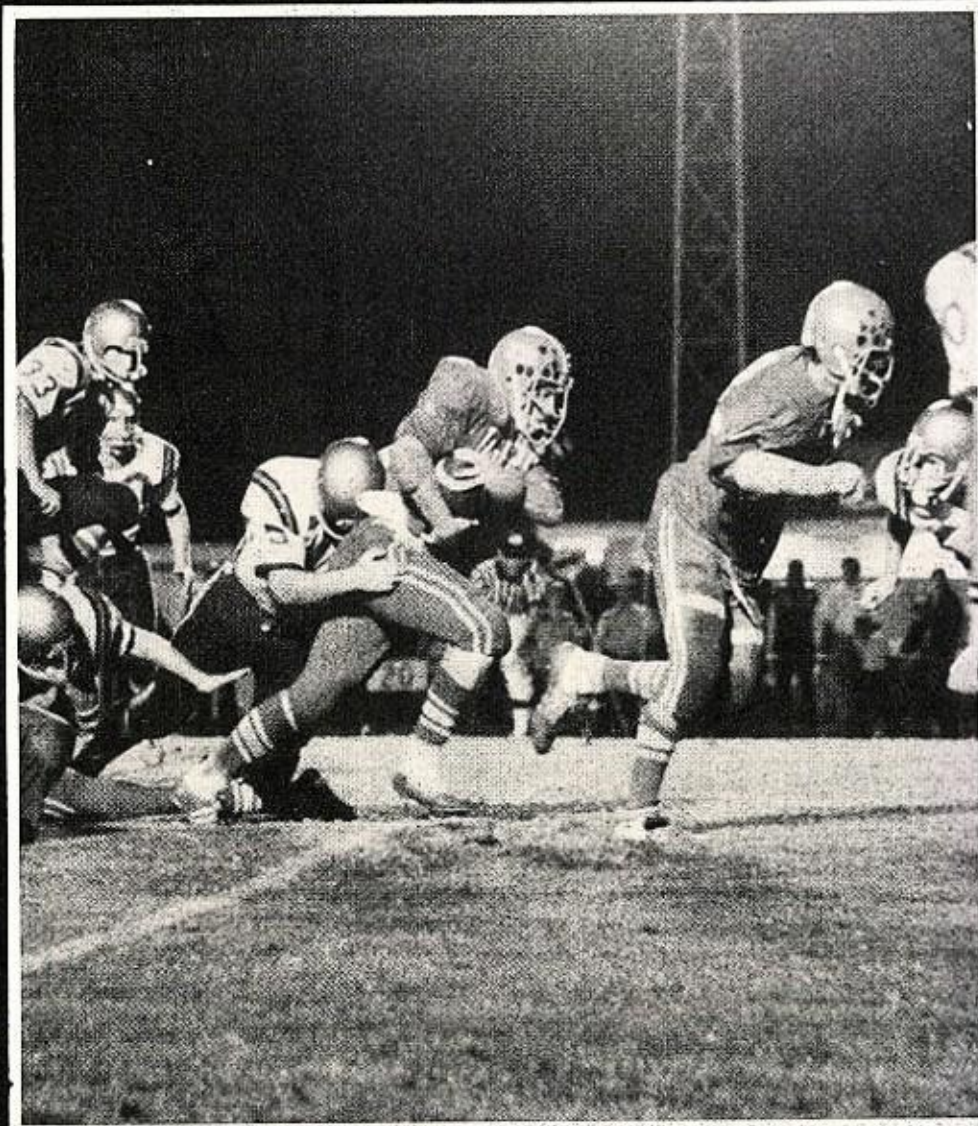
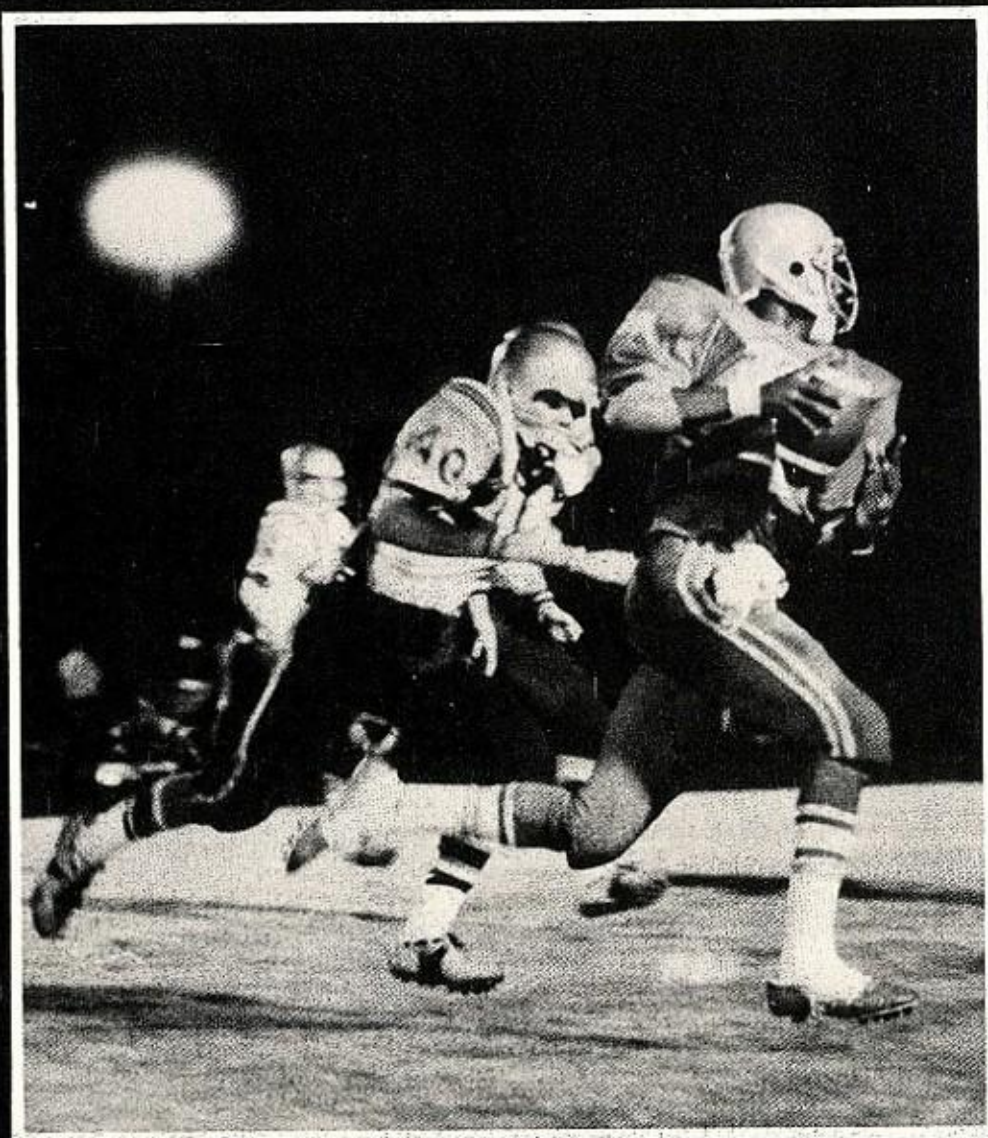


The Tigers played their second district game against the helpless Eagles of Georgetown. The coaching staff was concerned that the Eagle team might rise to the occasion and beat the Tigers, but the Big Red was not about to let this happen. The Tigers played a hard game and easily defeated the Eagles by a score of 27-0.

A Tiger ball carrier clashes with a Georgetown Eagle.

Lee Russell carries the ball for more yardage.

TIGERS CUT COPPERAS COVE 38-0



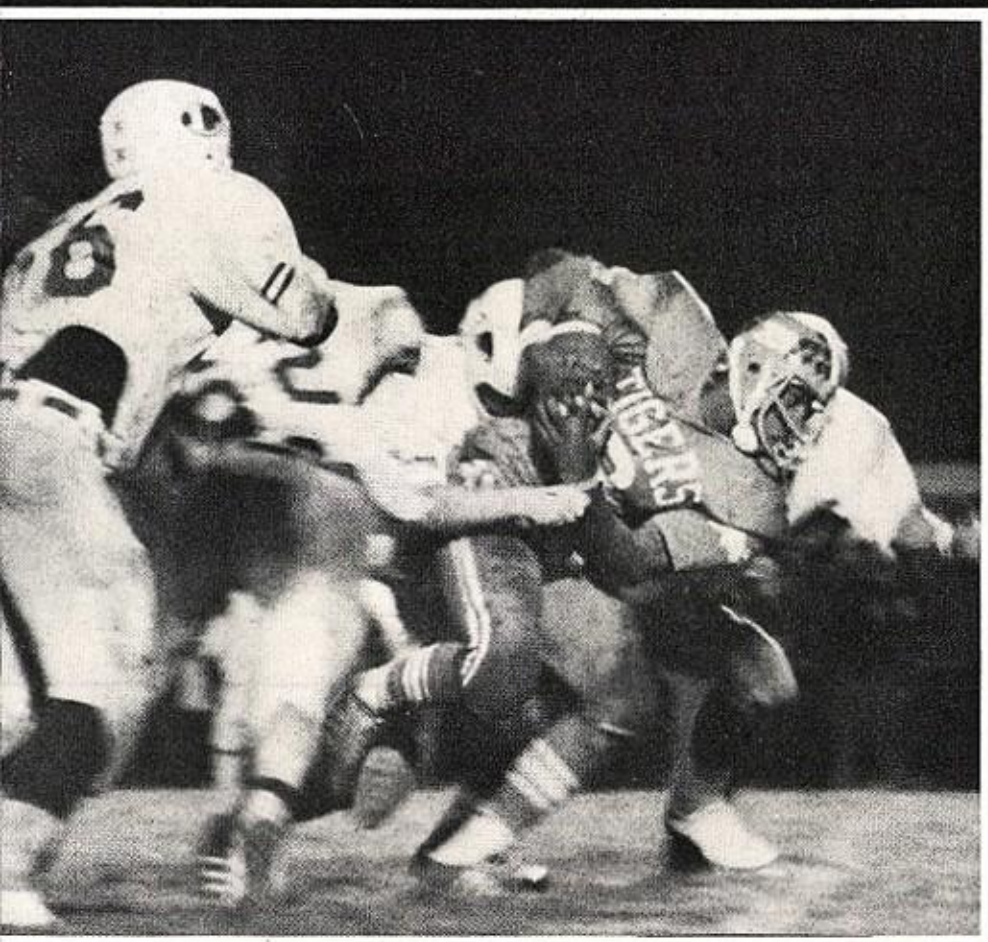
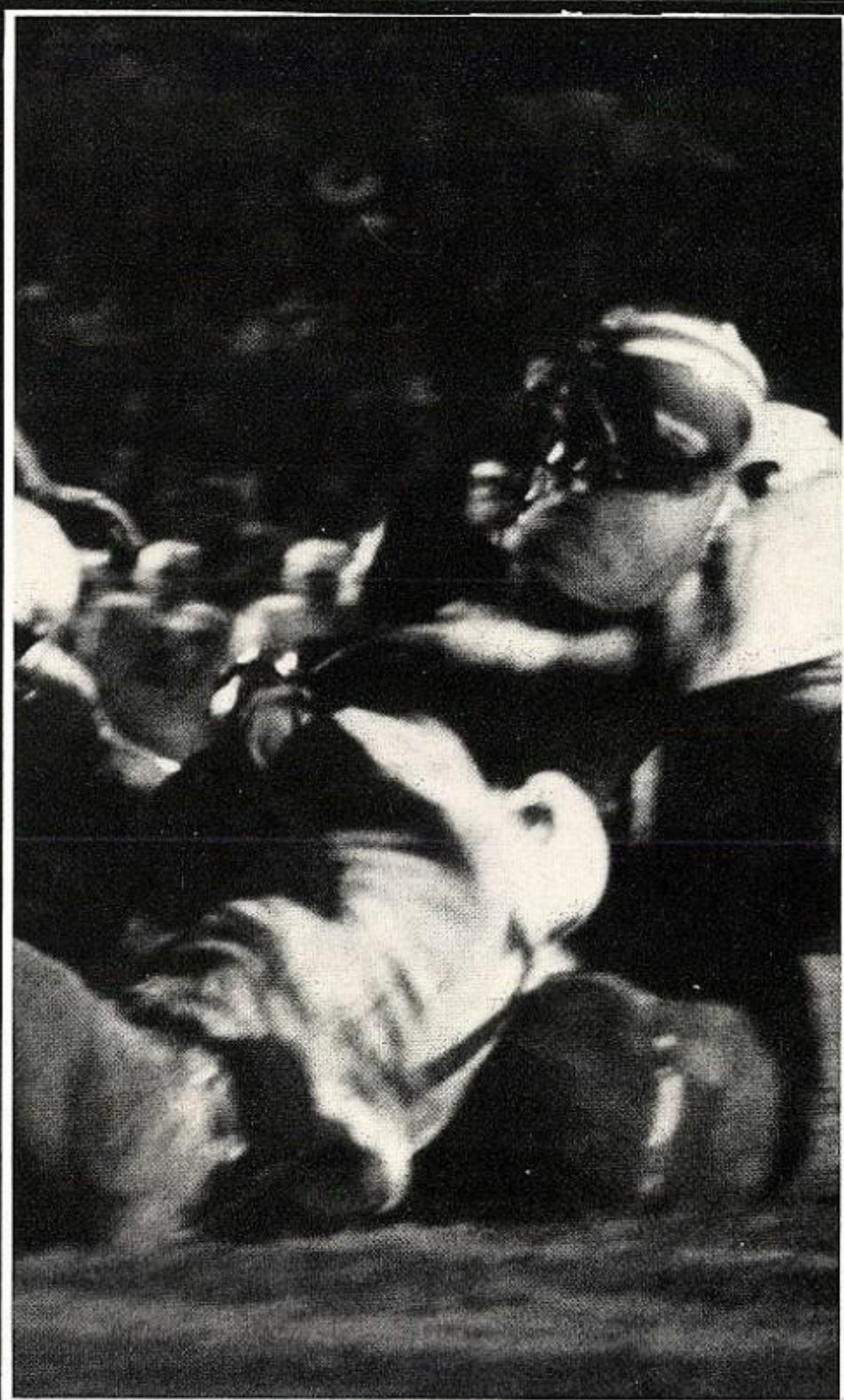
The Copperas Cove Bulldogs had not won a game all season, and the Tigers were not about to be the first to fall before a losing team, and so polished-off the bludgeoned Bulldogs 48-0 in their district battle.

Eric Nelson breaks by two tackles to show Cove what they are up against.

Lee Lingo clears the way for ball carrier Jay Warrick in his attempt to pass the crowd of Cove players.

Bryan Sweeney makes way through a line of fallen players for yardage.

TIGERS LACE LAMPASAS 59-0



If the first three district games had seemed easy, the boys could have napped through the fourth one. The Big Red Tigers made a clean sweep of the North Zone as they roared to a whopping 59-0 victory over the undefeated Lampasas Badgers, the highest score a Belton team has run up in many years.

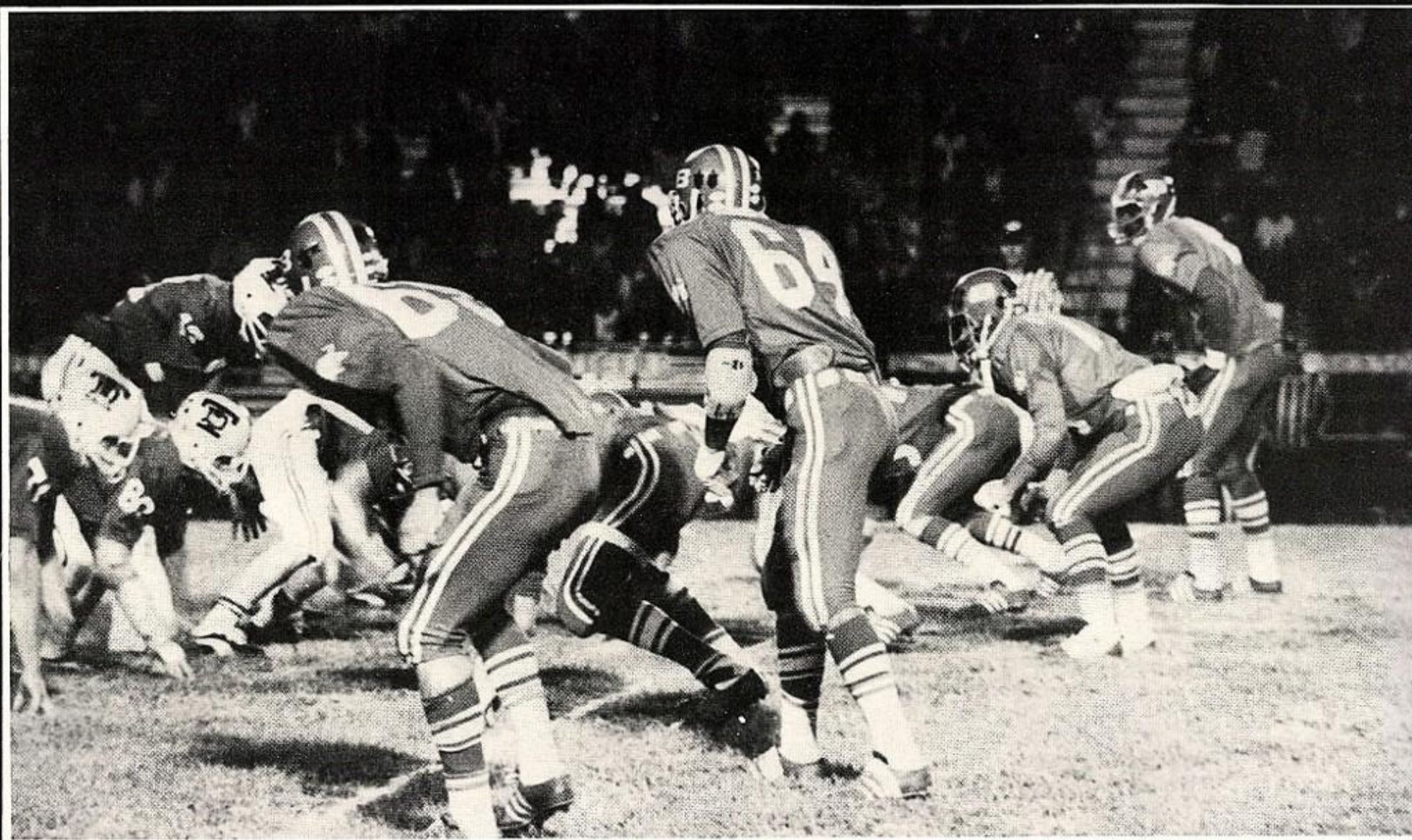
Ted Williams kicks the ball with Roy Steger holding.

A huddle of Lampasas players bring down a Big Red player.

A tiger ball carrier drags some badgers along with him for some more yardage.

DISTRICT CHAMPS

TIGERS TRAMPLE TAYLOR 21-14

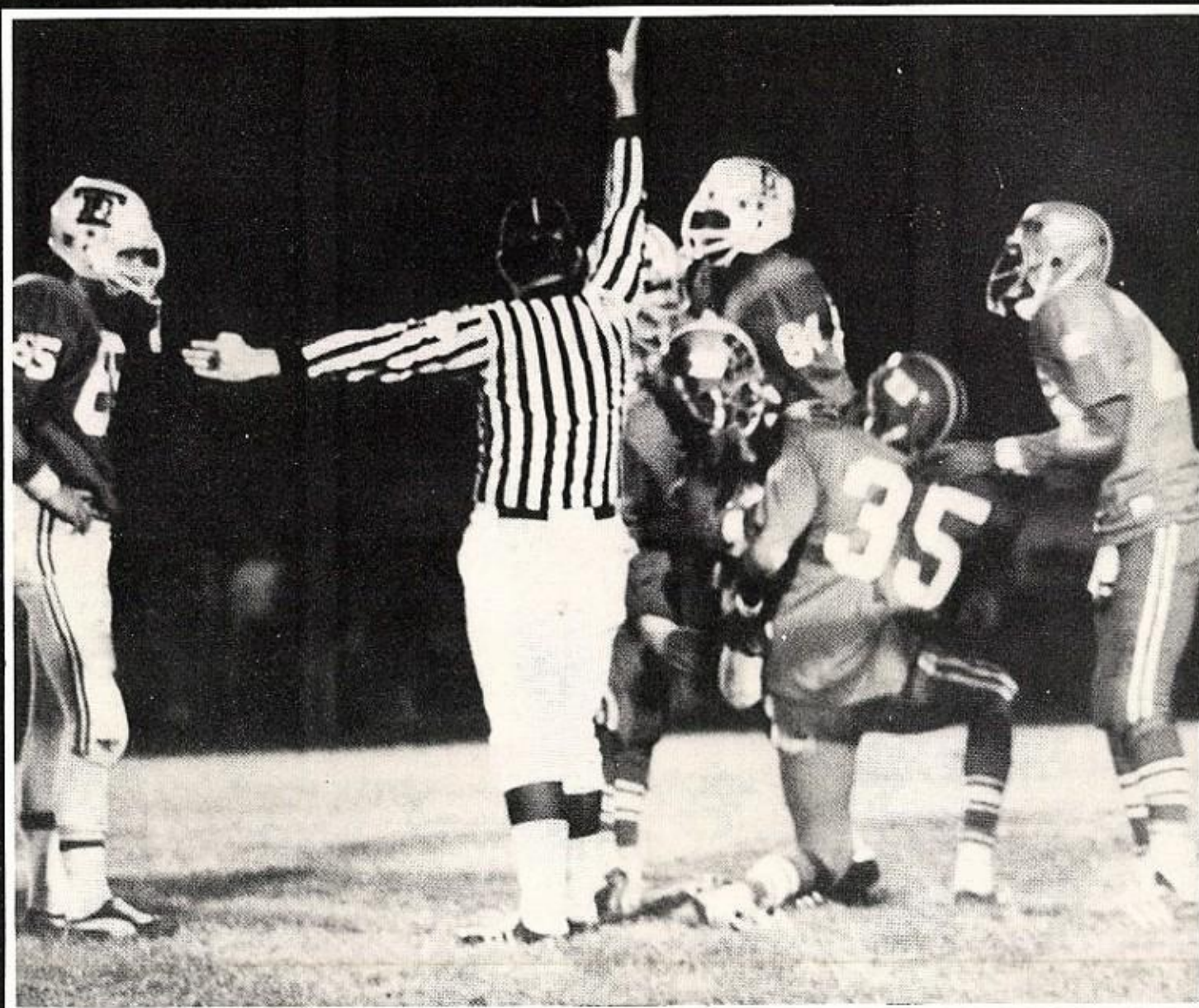


The Big Red Tigers became District Champs for the third year in a row meeting and defeating the Taylor Ducks in Round Rock.

This was one of the hardest games for the Tigers, but Big Red showed their determination by defeating the Ducks 21-14.

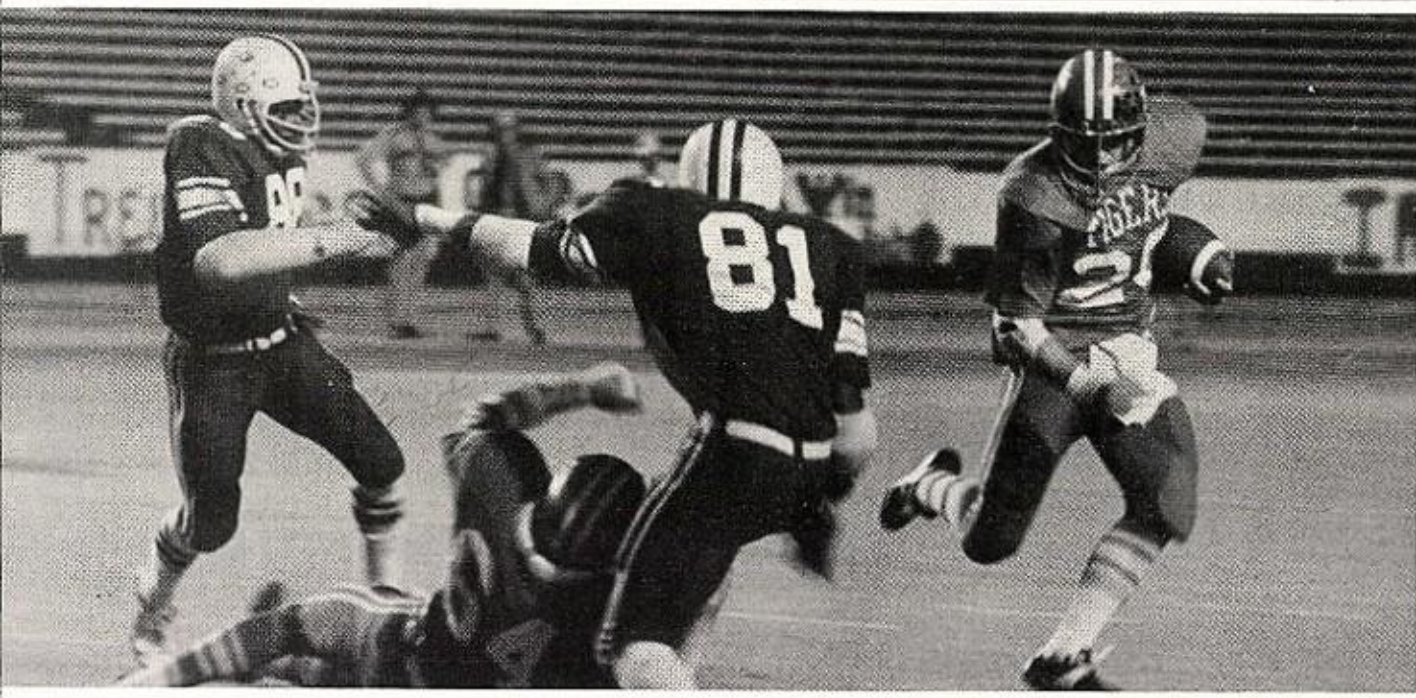
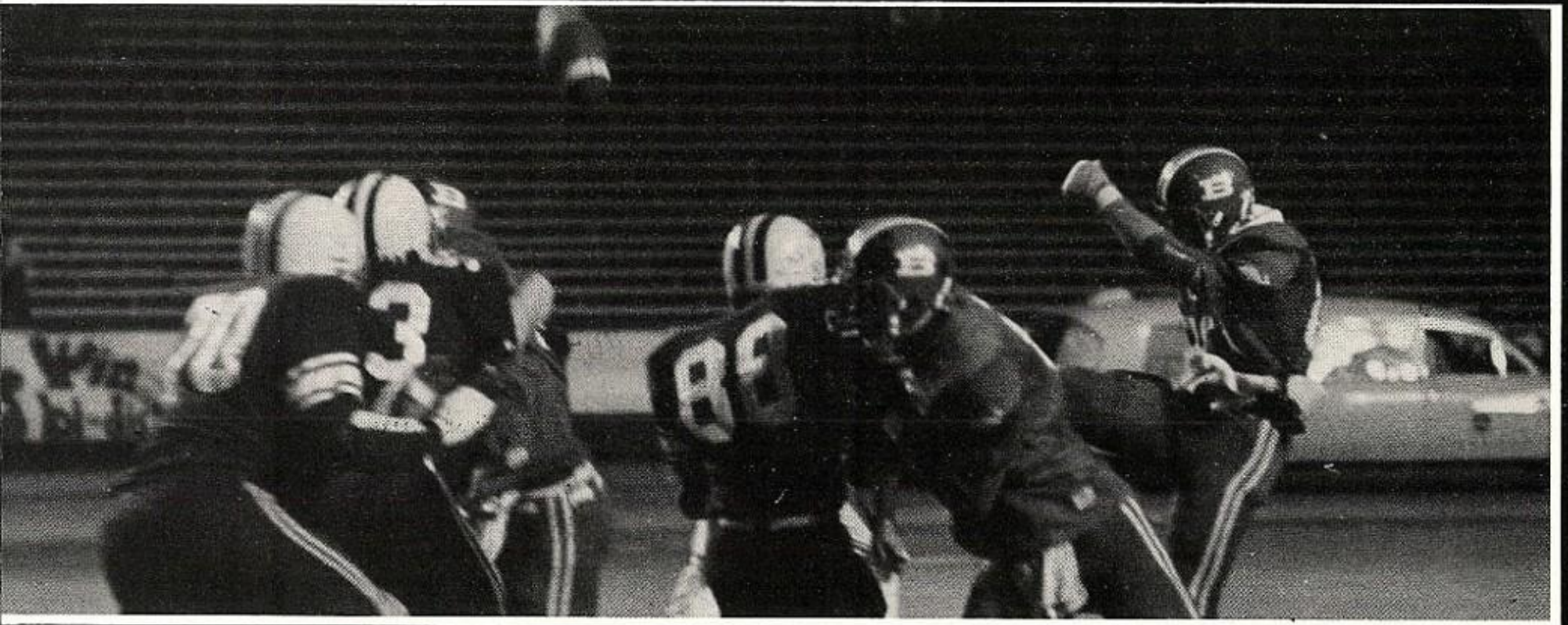
The Big Red defense is ready for the Taylor Ducks.

The referee gives the Tigers another first down in the hard fought game.



TIGERS KNOCK-OUT NAVASOTA

17-0



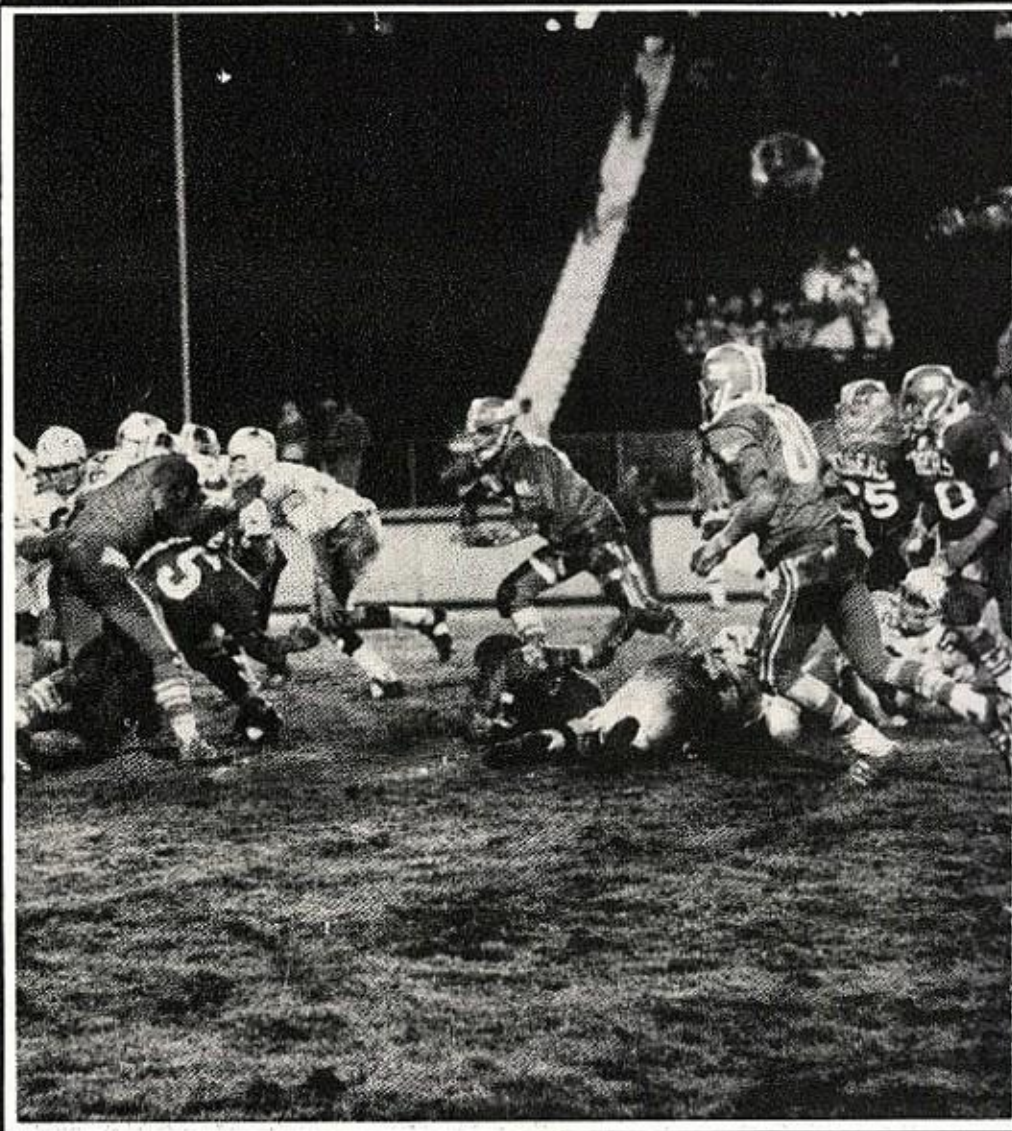
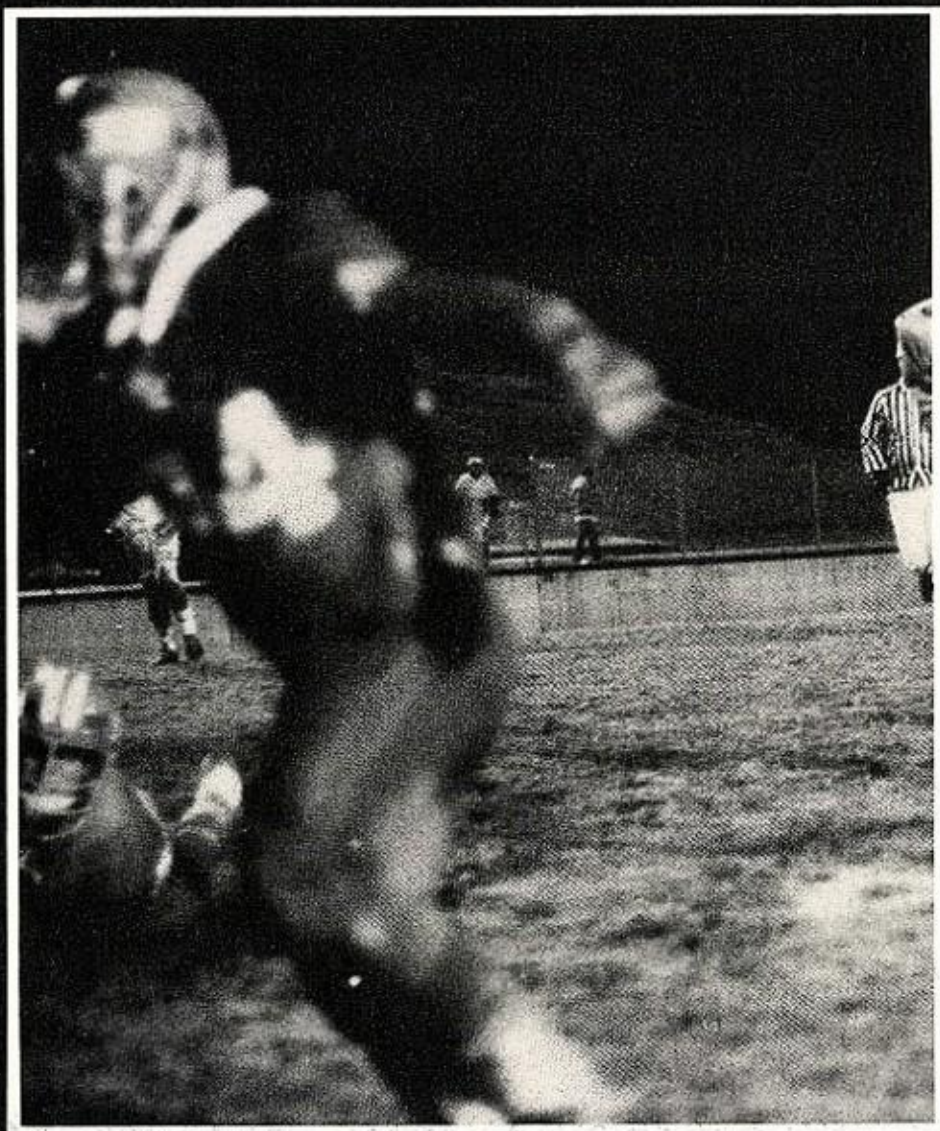
With a district championship under their belts, and a five game winning streak going, the Tigers were ready to move into bi-district for the third year running. The state-ranked Navasota Rattlers got the call. Once again Kyle Field was the locale. Big Red was a-flame all night and wound up with another big victory on their record.

Big Red punts the ball during the game.

The Tigers move the ball down field to gain important yardage.

The Tigers stretch for every inch to gain more yards.

STATE BOUND TIGERS BOG DOWN AT JACKSONVILLE 15-7

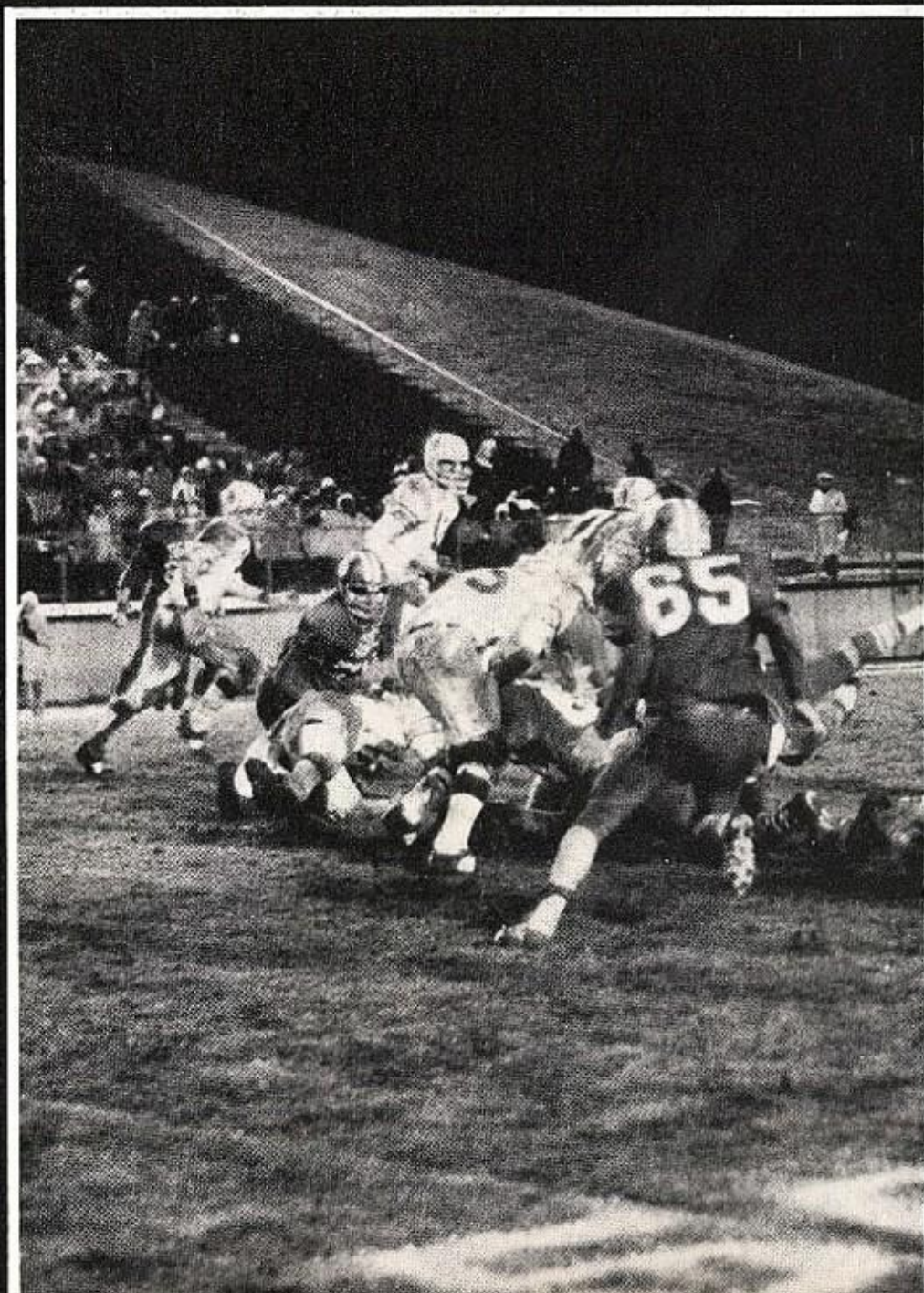


No one liked to think so, but with the Tigers' limited size, it was imminent that they meet up with a larger, stronger and faster team, and the Jacksonville Indians was that team. But the Tigers had been known to win games on sheer guts and determination, and though the field was a mushy hogwallow, and the weather sub-freezing, the hard driving Big Red Machine came within eight points of tying the Indians. The Tigers actually led the rushing statistics with 196 yards and 13 first-downs.

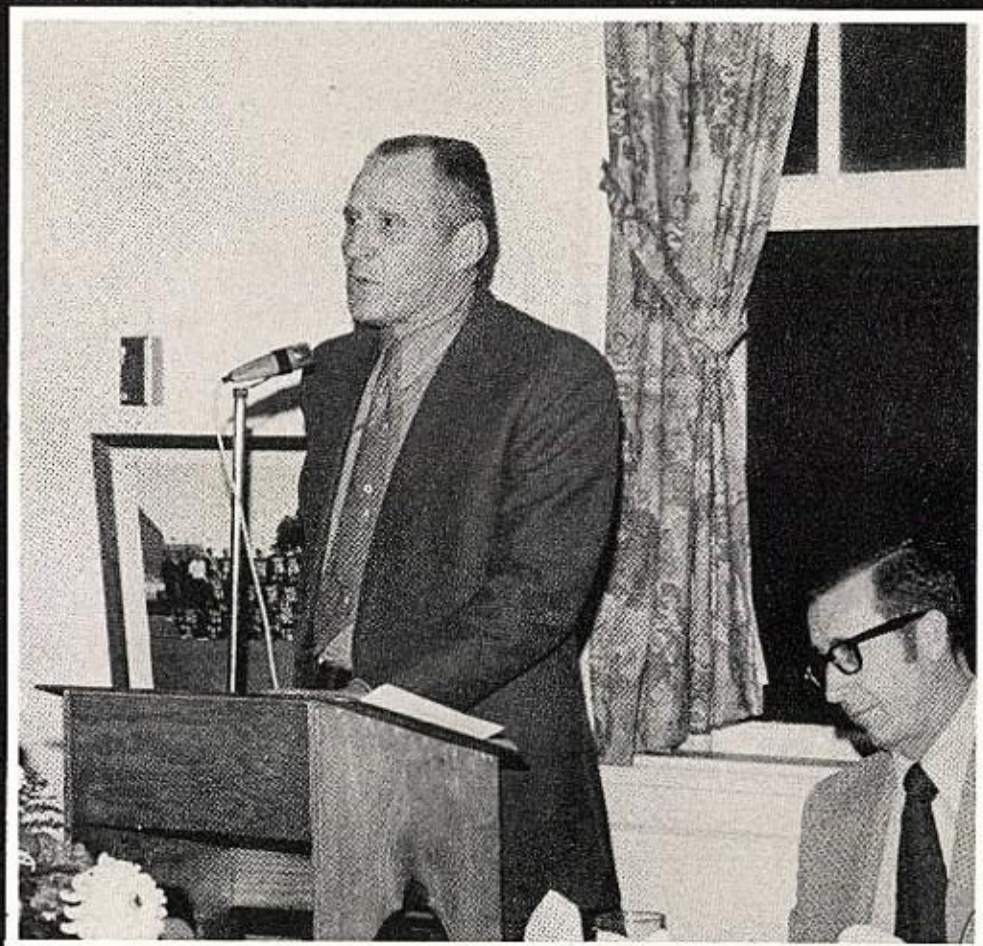
Bryan Hargrove carried the ball with force for a few yards.

The Tiger defense held the Indians when the going was rough.

Both teams showed great strength in handling the ball.



FOOTBALL BANQUET '75



Seven players received awards at this year's banquet. They are: Matt Ash—Most Conscientious Player, Ernest Brenek—Fighting Heart Award, Robert Dominquez and Jay Warrick—Defensive Tiger Award, Bryan Veeny—Outstanding Back, Bryan Hargrove—Coaches' Award, Ted Williams—Outstanding Lineman.

Roy Smythe was guest speaker at the banquet.

Coach Williams speaks to the football players after a year well-done. Jack Meredith, toastmaster for the banquet, listens to the coach.

BIG RED TIGERS

Dick Bay
Jr. Quarterback

Ernest Brenek
Sr. Guard

Mark Bush
Sr. Tightend

Matt Bursh
Sr. Tackle

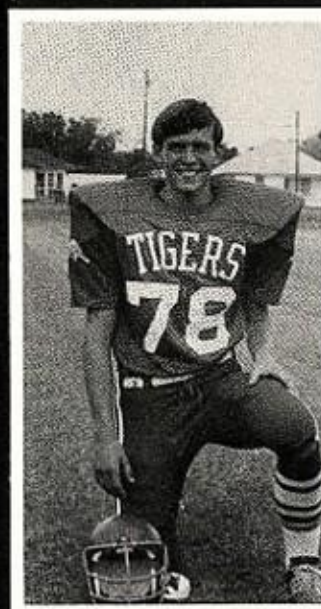
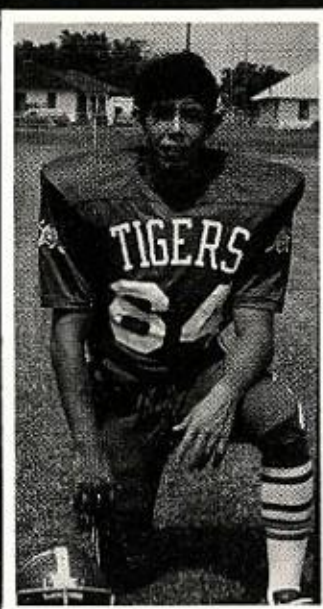


Steve Critchfield
Sr. Tackle

Robert Dominguez
Sr. Guard

Don Elliot
Soph. Tackle

Johnny Faulk
Sr. Splitend



The Big Red Machine offense
moved the team into regional
play-offs.

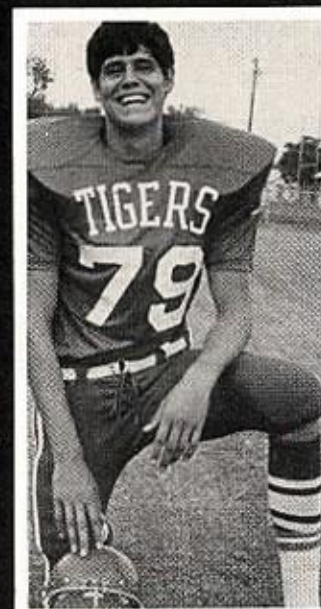


Bryan Hargrove
Sr. Splitend

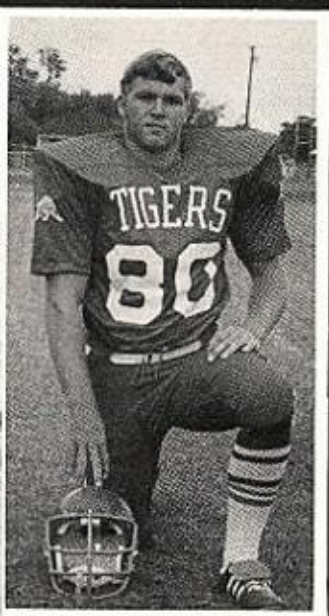
Ronald Lastovica
Sr. Guard

Mack Lingo
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Lee Lingo
Soph. Tackle



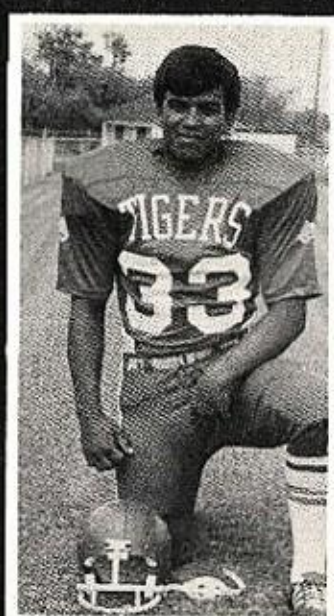
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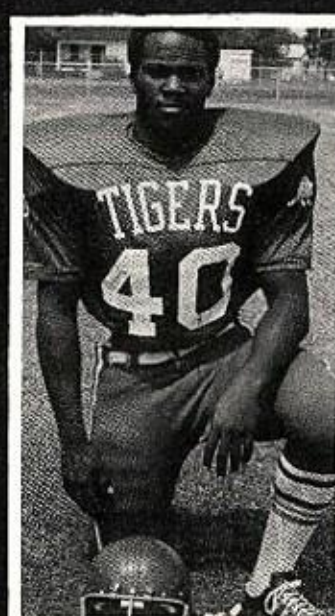
Rex Melvin
Sr. Tightend



Larry Montgomery
Sr. Center-Tightend



Sam Morin
Jr. Fullback



Eric Nelson
Sr. Fullback



Robert Dominguez and Ted Williams were named to All-Zone, All-AAA, All Super CenTex, and All State Players, and Super All-State Teams. Robert was named player of the year by the Austin paper.



David Roepke
Sr. Halfback



David Russell
Sr. Halfback



Lee Russell
Jr. Halfback



Floyd Stark
Sr. Halfback



Roy Steger
Sr. Quarterback



Glen Sumerford
Sr. Tackle



Bryan Sweeney
Sr. Halfback

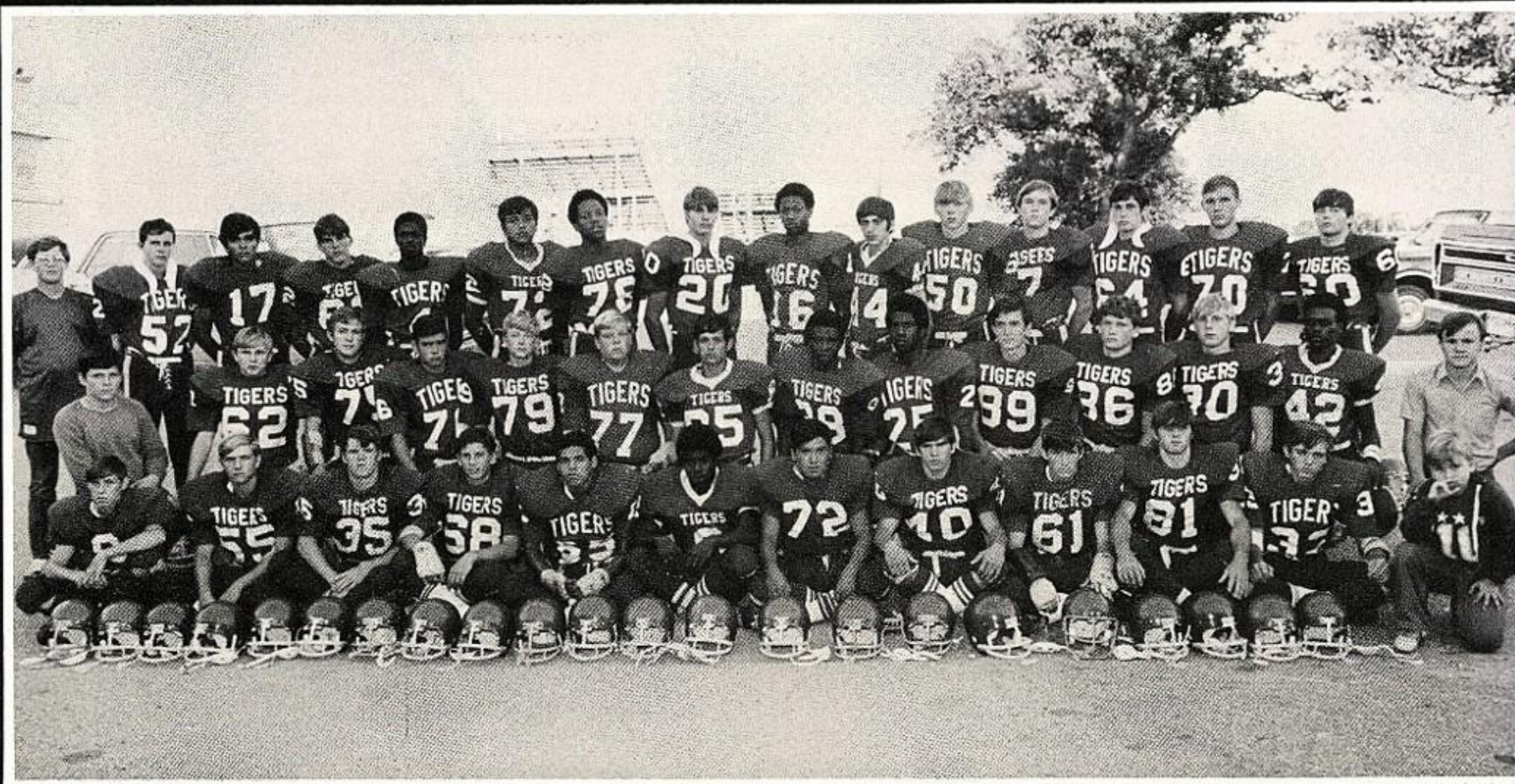


Jay Warrick
Sr. Fullback-Guard

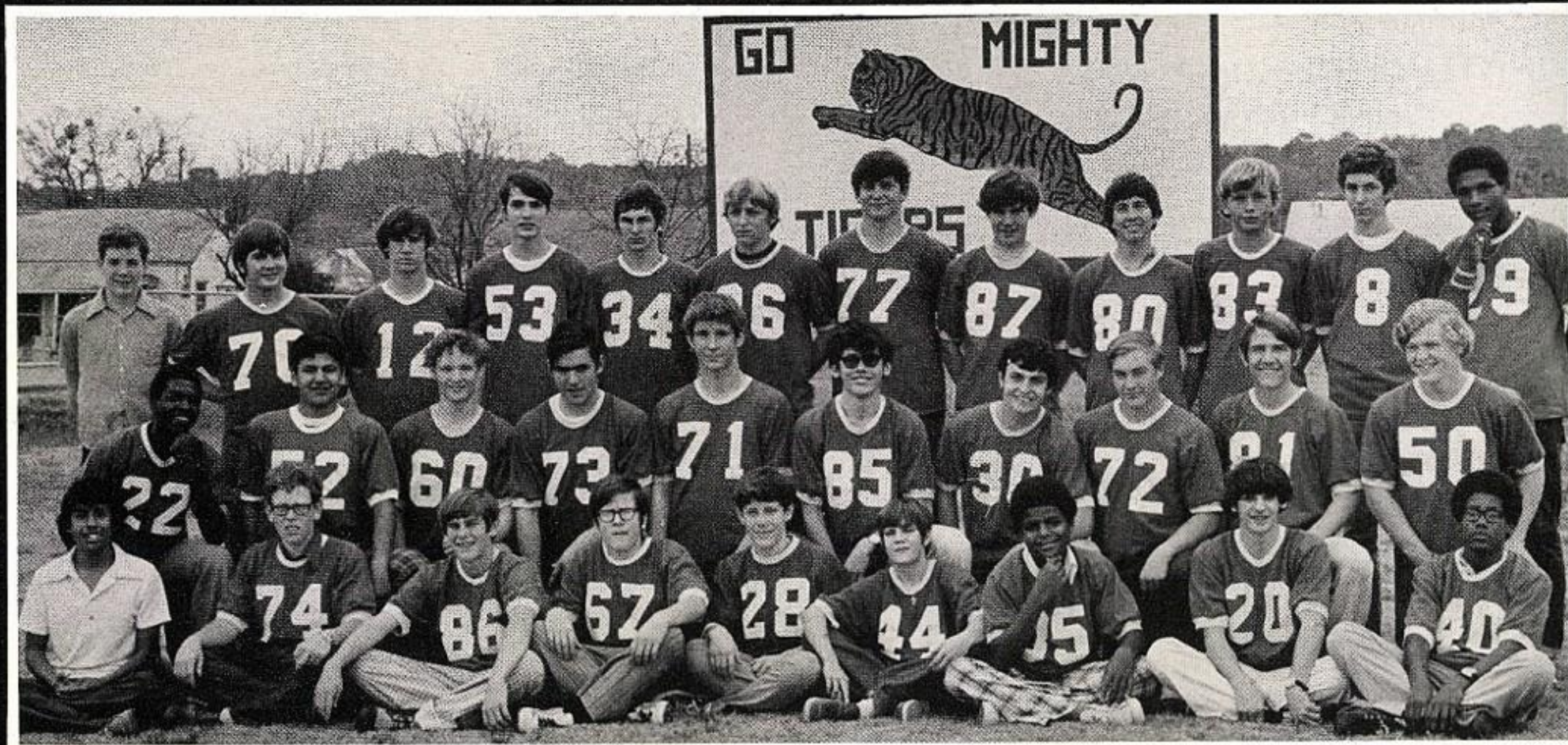


Ted Williams
Sr. Center

B-TEAM FRESHMAN CHAMPS

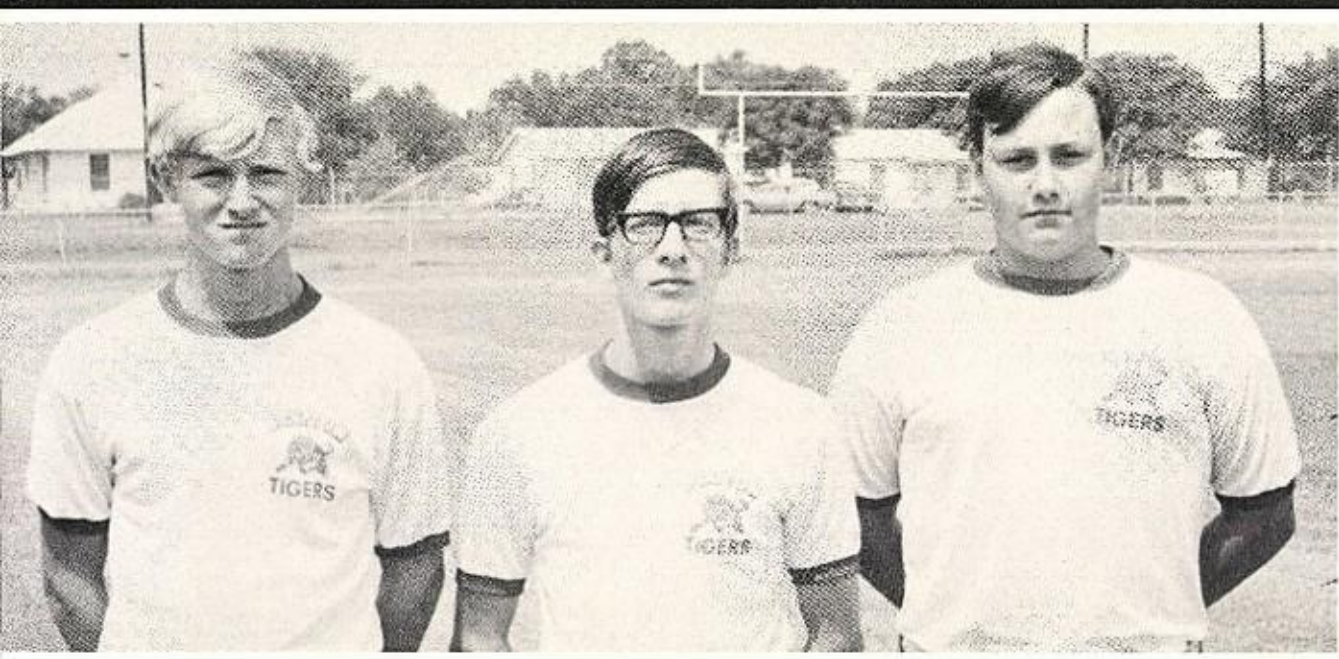
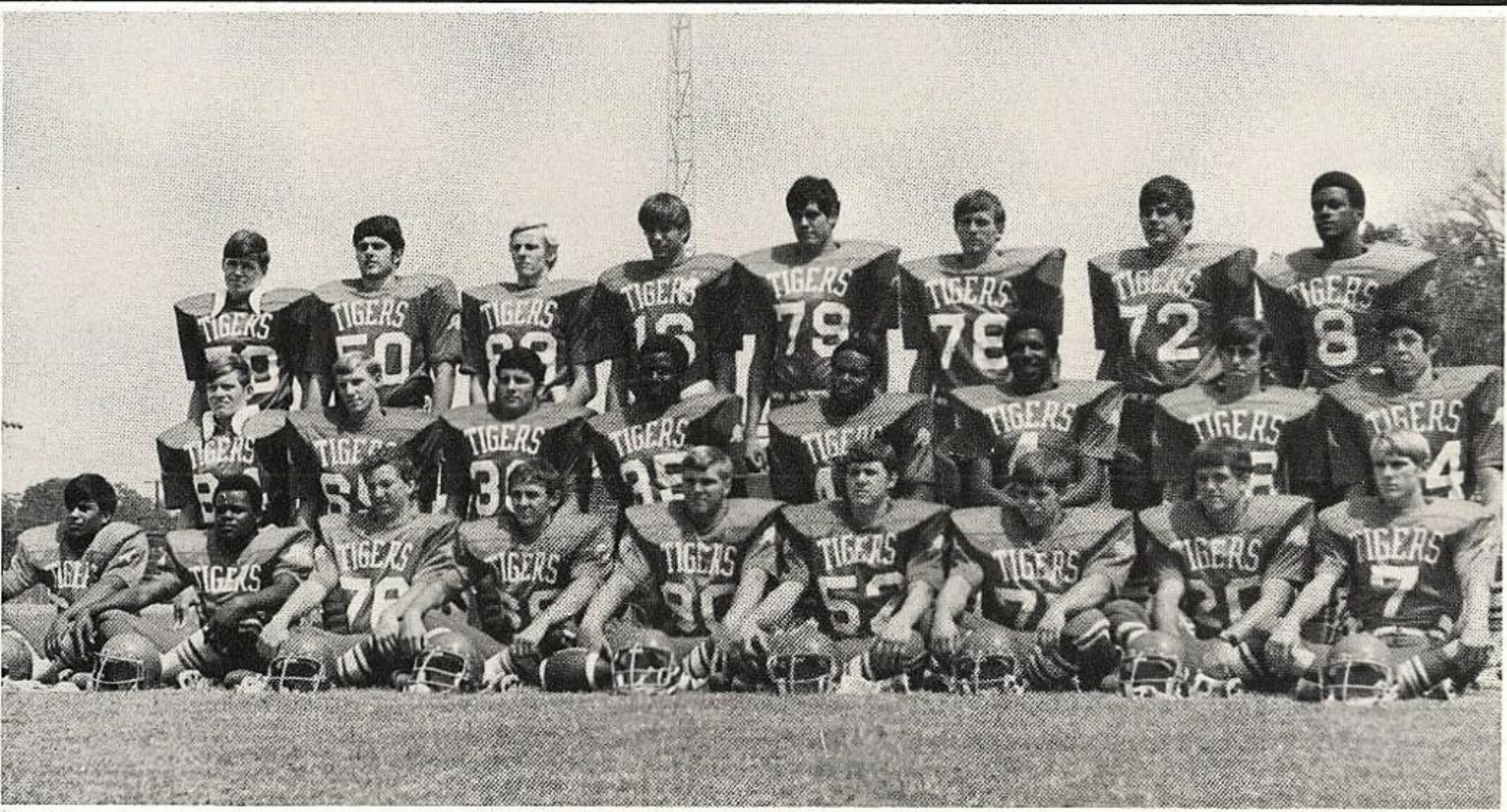


The B-Team members this year were: Sullivan, Spencer, Durr, Rose, Vaca, Demerson, Tullock, Evans, Eno, Alexander, Cawthorn, Brooks, Karriker, Harlow, Sanford, Baggerly, Wulf, Woods, Pate, Coppin, Trammel, Stowers, Couch, Shuttlesworth, Hendricks, Logan, Hughes, Bozon, Cox, Faggly, Trevino, Green, Fuentes, Kelley, Buttons, Shafer, Butler. The managers were Jack Cannon, John Jackson, and Gary Sanford.



The Freshmen players were: Engler, Whitley, Owens, Knight, Aman, Hutson, Collier, Griffin, Connley, Page, Steger, Whitely, Fletcher, Acosta, Otrupcak, Engelke, Smyth, Mead, Bruton, Garwood, Garrett, Isaac, Trevino, Willis, Hall, Vance, Mercer, Wesson, Jeffrey, Young and Stowers.

BI-DISTRICT CHAMPS—BIG RED MACHINE



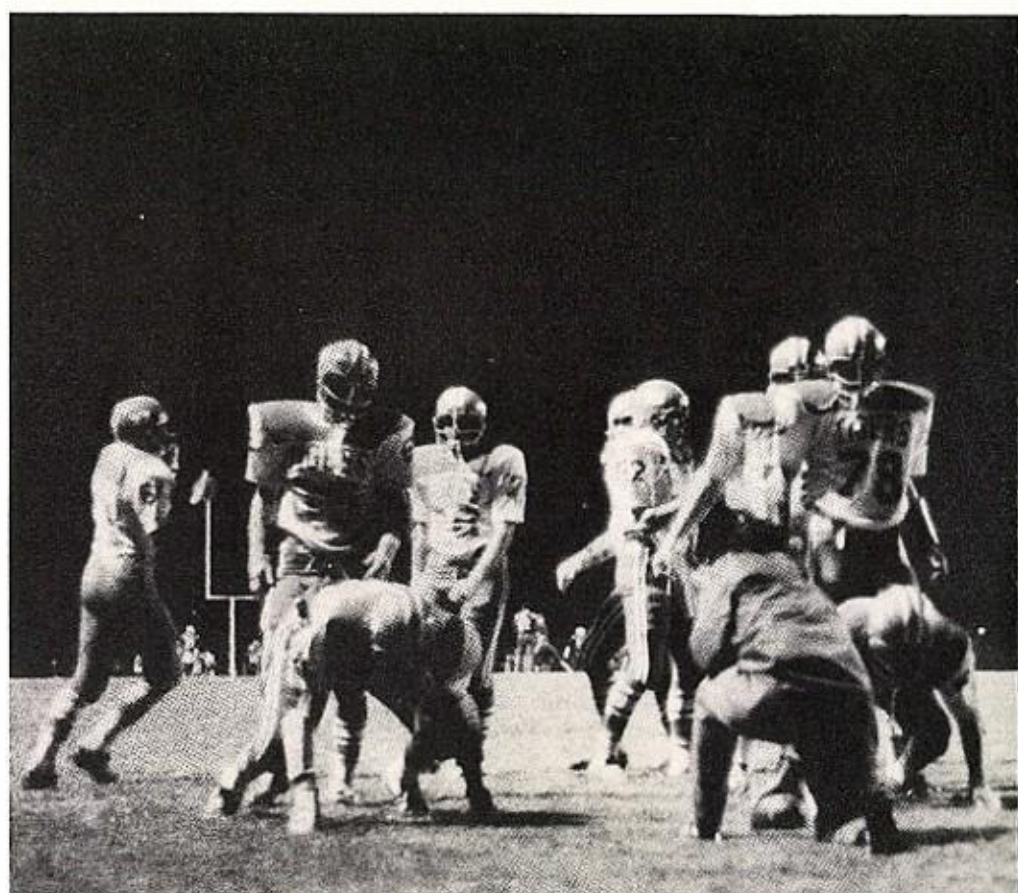
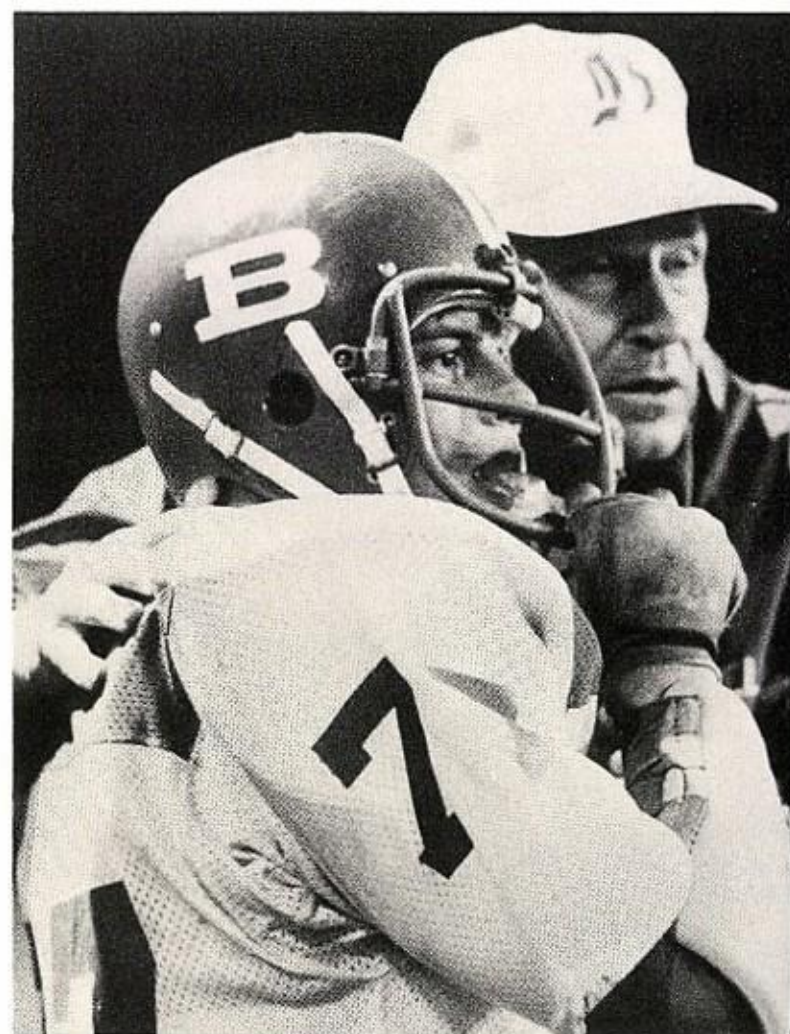
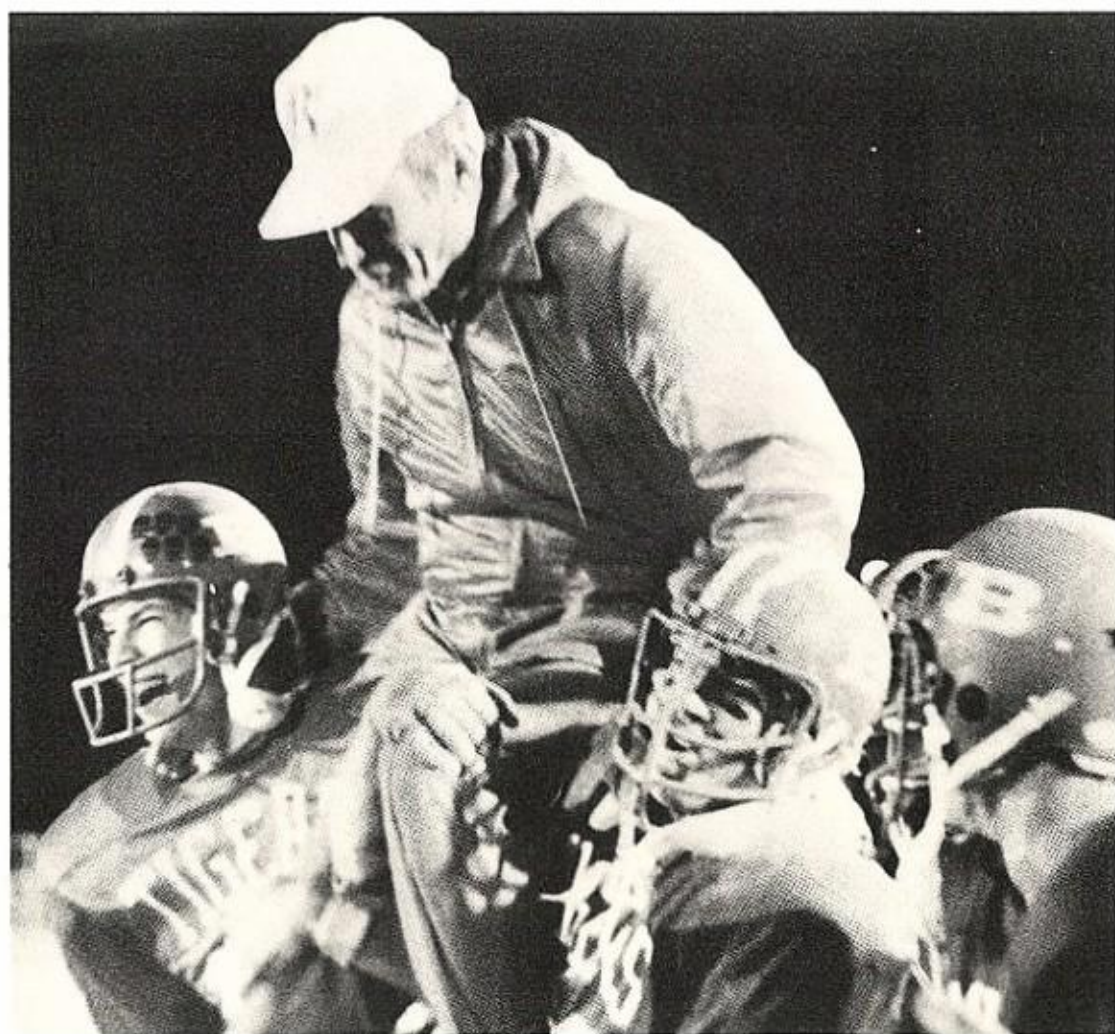
The Varsity players were: Bush, Williams, Hargrove, Steger, M. Lingo, Elliot, L. Lingo, Russell, Bush, Brenek, Warrick, Faulk, Nelson, Sweeney, Stark, Dominguez, Morin, Russell, Sumerford, Lastovica, Melvin, Montgomery, Critchfield, Roepke, and Bay.

The Varsity managers were Mickey Butler, Freddy Pope, and Randy Shiplett.

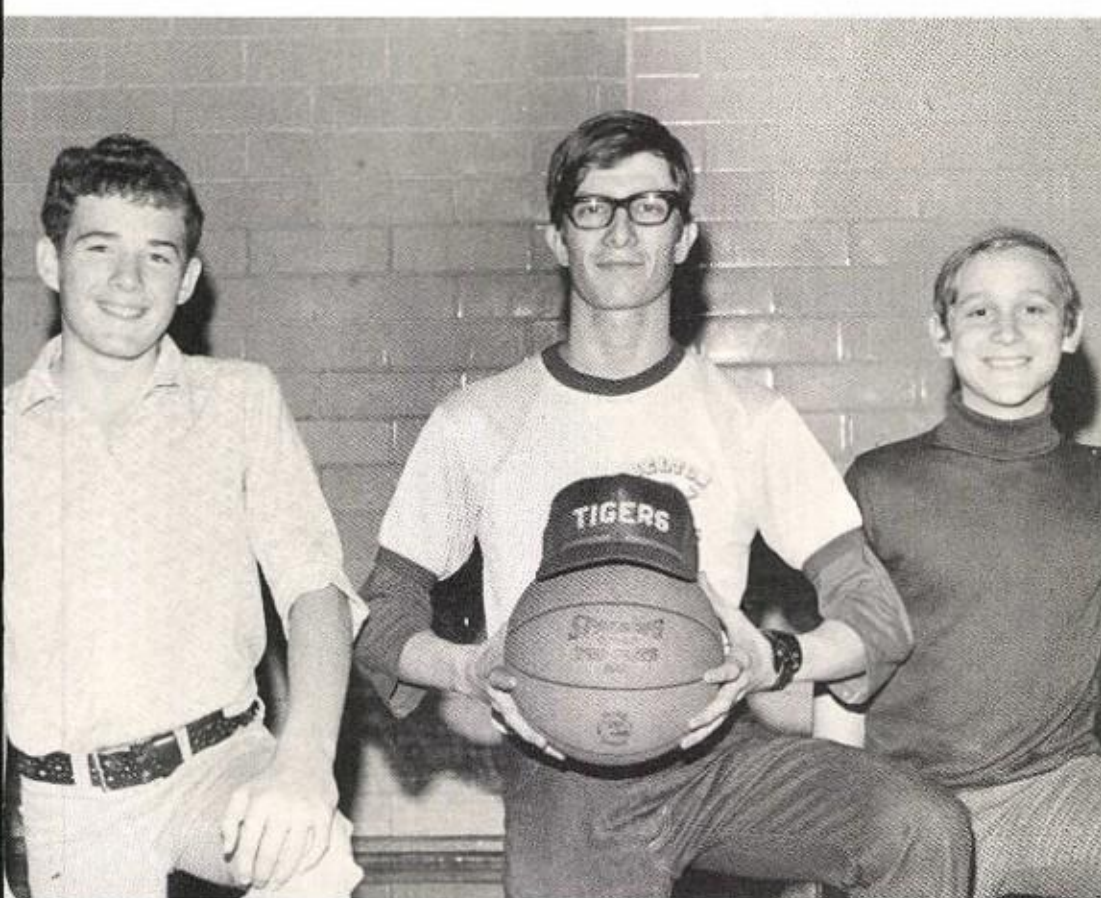
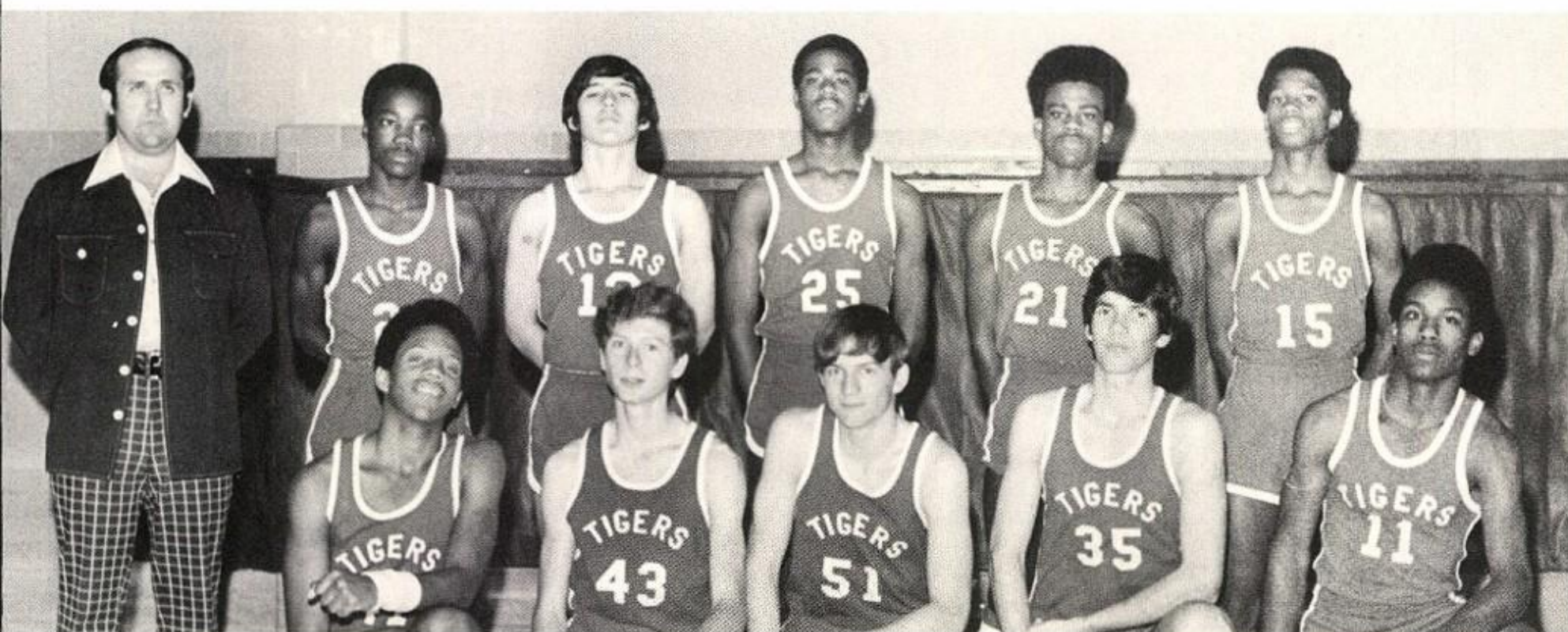
The coaches for the year were Joe Brooks, Hugh Sullivan, James Williams, head coach, and Ronald Ray.



BIG RED TIGERS—'75



BASKETBALL SEASON '75



The Varsity team this year were zone champions and beaten by Rockdale in District. Members of the team were: Bryan Sweeney, Martin Trammel, Willy Gooding, Marcus Russell, Johnny Faulk, Doug Ruthven—Coach, Randy Hickerson, Lee Russell, Rex Melvin.

Junior Varsity: Ronald Ray—Coach, Mike Franklin, Robert Mendoza, Tony Rose, Loe Logan, Mike Williams, Marion Demmerson, Mark Carroll, Don Elliot, Randy Evans, Eddie Stowers.

Managers: Grant Engler, Freddy Pope, Mark Fox.



The Freshmen Basketball Team was coached by Coach Tommy Hood and he did an excellent job with the boys. The members were Steger, Whit-
ley, Engelke, Smythe, Meede, Otrupcak, Fletcher, Owens, Kemp, Jefferson, Jones, Vance, Mercer, Townsend, Wesson, Stowers, and Dean.

Tony Green
Randy Hickerson
Mac Lingo
Rex Melvin



David Russell
Bryan Sweeney
Martin Trammell





Marcus Russell rushes past a guarding opponent.

Bryan Sweeney jumps high in the air to get a clear shot at the basket for a point.

Mack Lingo shoots an easy basket in a game against Gatesville.

Lee Russell has no trouble in breezing past an opponent.

Marcus Russell goes up to lay the ball in for another point.





Mac Lingo jumps high to get the ball in the Del Valle game.

Bryan Sweeney attempts to rebound the ball during the game.

Sweeney tries to maneuver around Copperas Cove to make a shot.

Lee Russell jumps to make the basket count.



CHESS CLUB



The Belton High Chess Team participated in the Del Valle chess tournament and won a third place losing to Del Valle and Anderson.

The next tournament was in Round Rock and our team won the second place trophy with George Brown taking home the first place alternate's trophy.

Belton won the first place team trophy at St. Stevens' tournament when we played the match between the top four teams in our area—Round Rock, Del Valle, Anderson, and St. Stevens.

Special thanks go to the team for an outstanding job of sportsmanship and proper attitude when representing Belton High School—job well done.

Mr. Bill Smith was the sponsor of the Chess Team and did an outstanding job. The members of the team are John Jackson, Billy Jansen, David Jarosek, Stephen Cox, George Brown (not pictured are Gordon Hilley, Eddie Guajardo and Danny Young).

The officers of the team were Gordon Hilley, President and Captain, Billy Jansen, V. President, Stephen Cox, Secretary.

TIGER BASEBALL



This year the varsity baseball team placed second in zone. Pictured are: Charles Douglas—Coach, Raymond Alcozer, David Reopke, Rex Melvin, Roy Steger, Jay Warrick, Larry Montgomery, Tommy Hood—Coach, Freddy Pope—Manager, Bill Harlow, Mike McGinnis, Jim Buttons, Sam Morin, Robert Mendoza.



Junior varsity members are: Tommy Hood—Coach, Chuck Northam, David Jarosek, David Winkler, Louis Trevino, Roy Brantley, Raymond Vriseno, Edward Vaca, and Felix Fuentes—Managers, Tommy Faglie, Pete Alcozer, Curtis Sanford, Robert Eno, David Shuttlesworth, David Kelly, Bobby Tulloch, Bobby Shafer.

BASEBALL SEASON PLAYERS



Ray Alcozer

Jim Buttons

Bill Harlow



Mike McGinnis

Rex Melvin

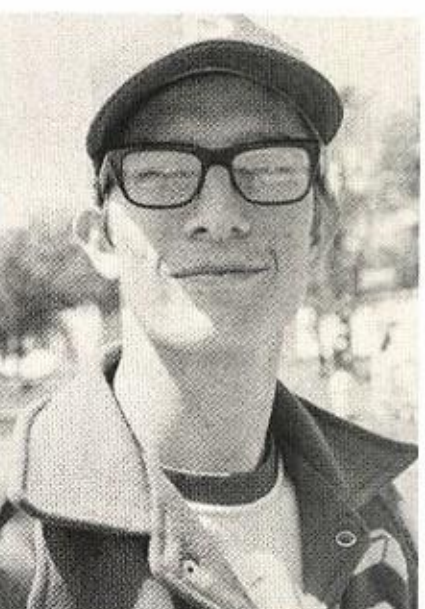
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Jay Warrick

Freddy Pope
Manager



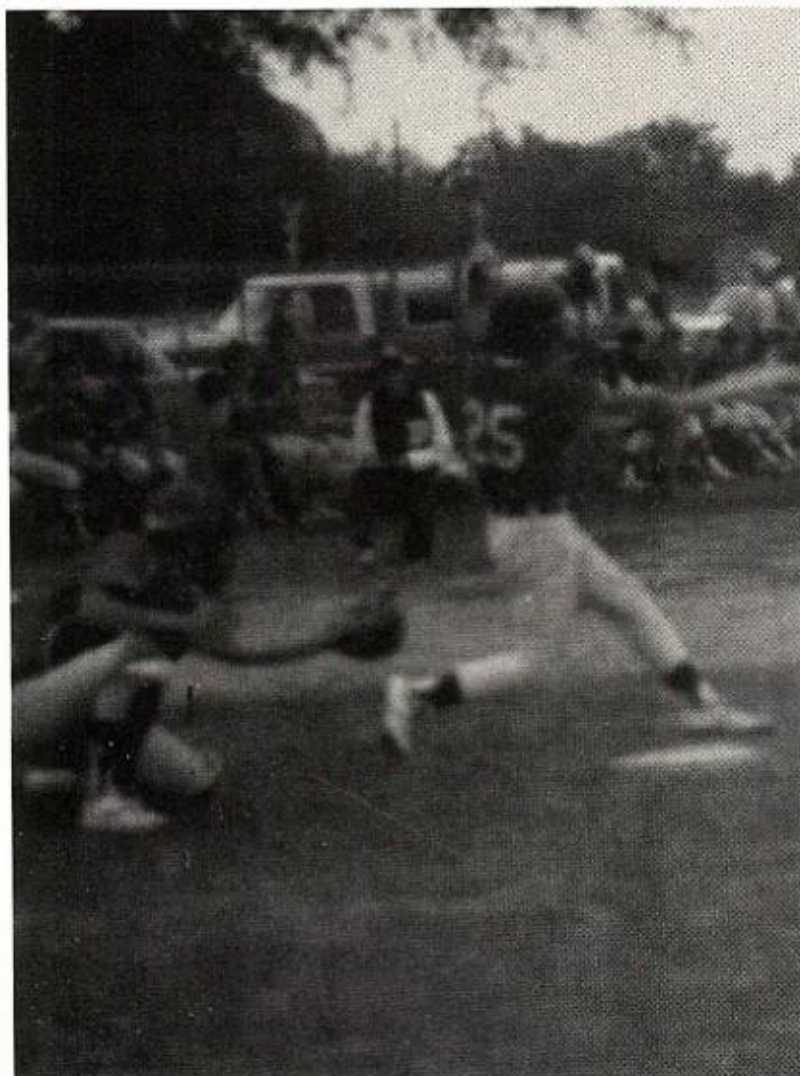
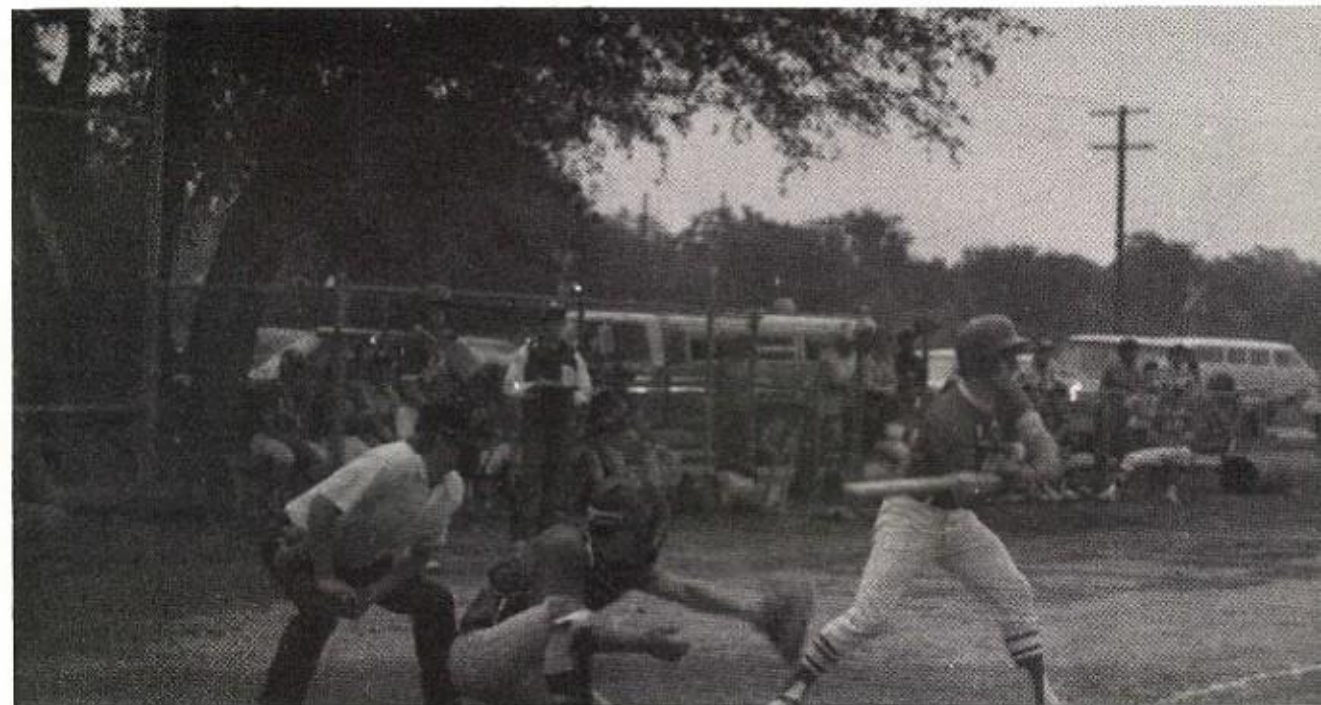
Roy Steger takes his position on first base ready to catch the ball.

Jay Warrick was catcher for the team this year and did an excellent job.

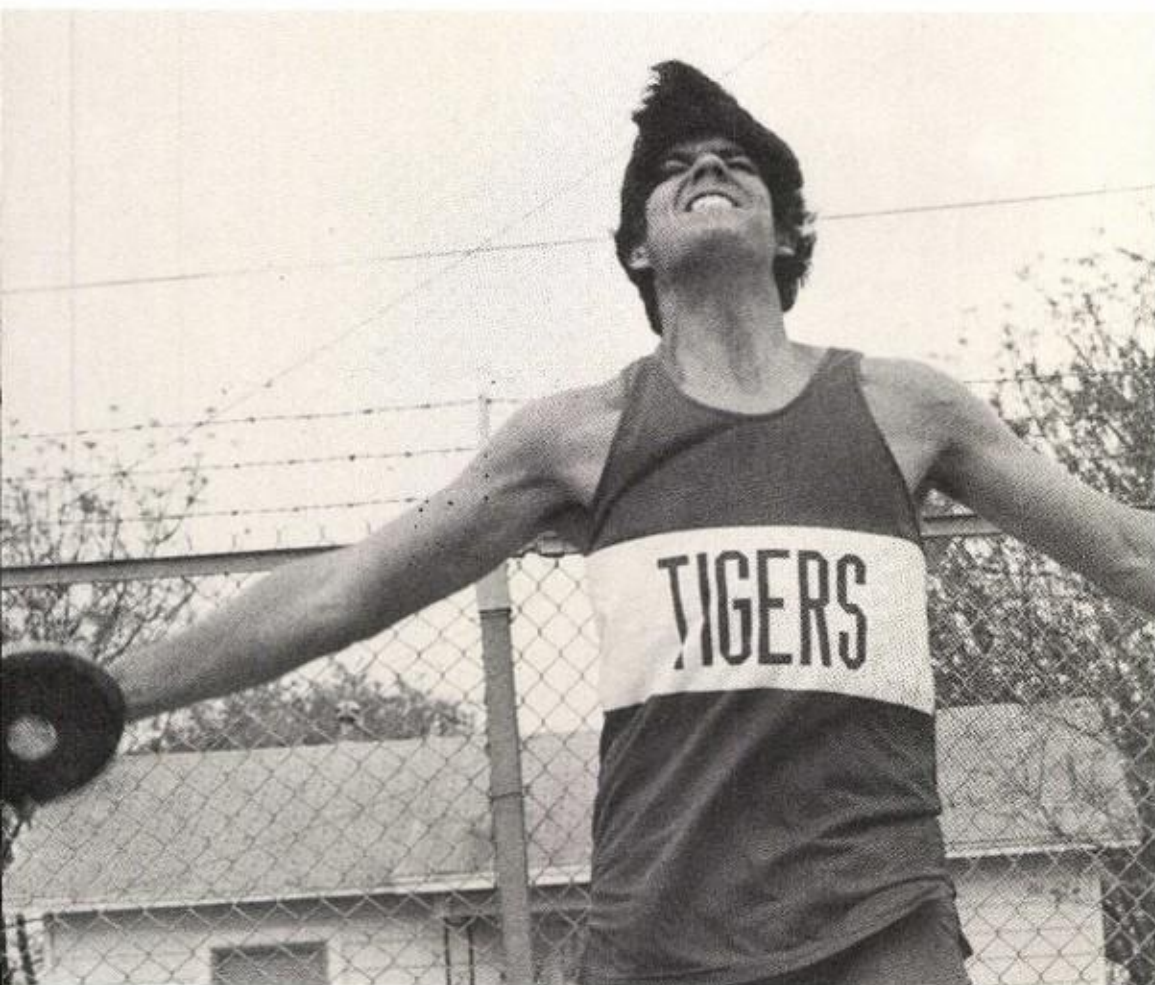
David Roepke gets ready to hit the ball with much force.

Robert Mendoza hit the ball hard with a forceful swing.

Roy Steger gets ready to run after hitting the ball.



BIG RED TRACK AND FIELD



The Belton High Track and Field team, once again, had a state winning team.

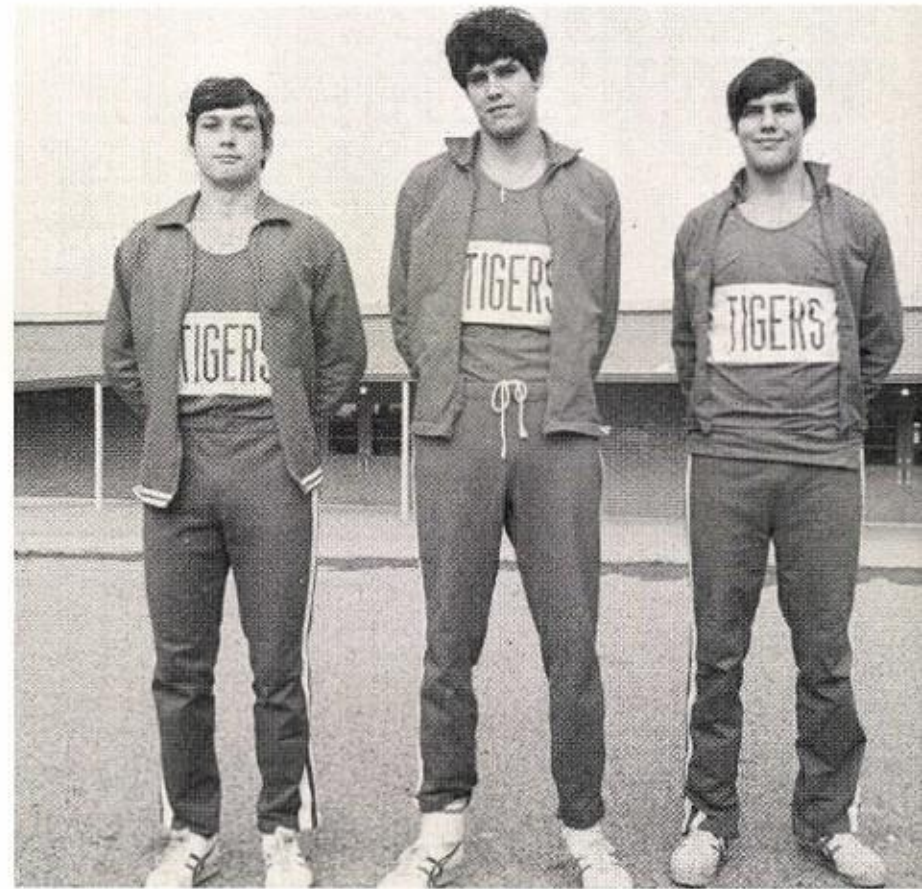
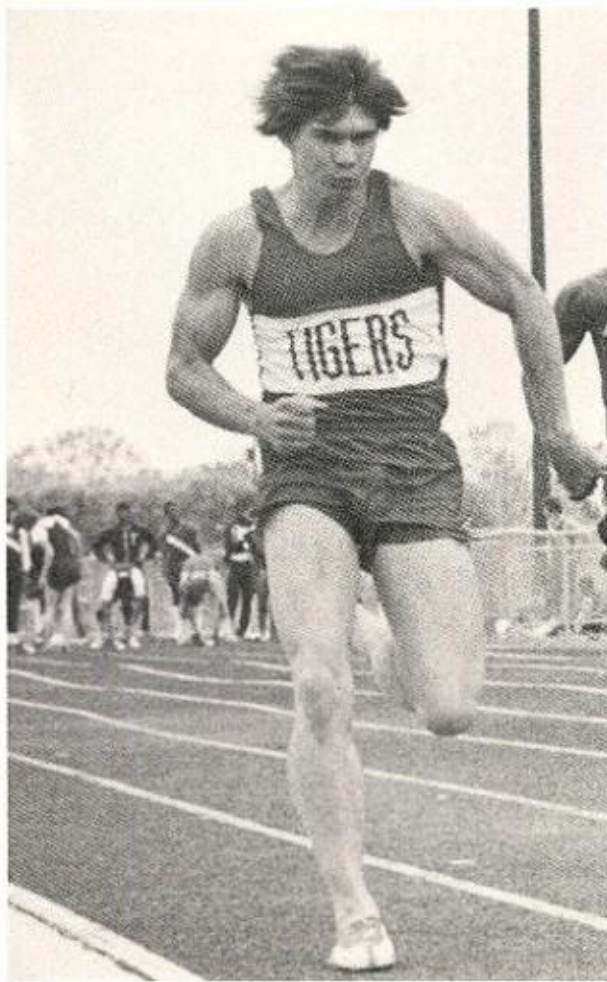
Lee Lingo is shown throwing the discus in the Belton Relays.

Sam Robertson displays his ability in hurdles.

William Royster shows how to high jump correctly.

The members of the varsity team were: Cawthon, Rose, Mac Lingo, Woods, Lee Lingo, Hargrove, Russell, Demerson, Sweeney, Martin Trammell, Royster, Stowers, Logan, Franklin, Brooks, Welch, Hendricks, Kelley, Bay, Robertson, Russell, Nelson and Reggie Trammell. The manager was John Jackson.





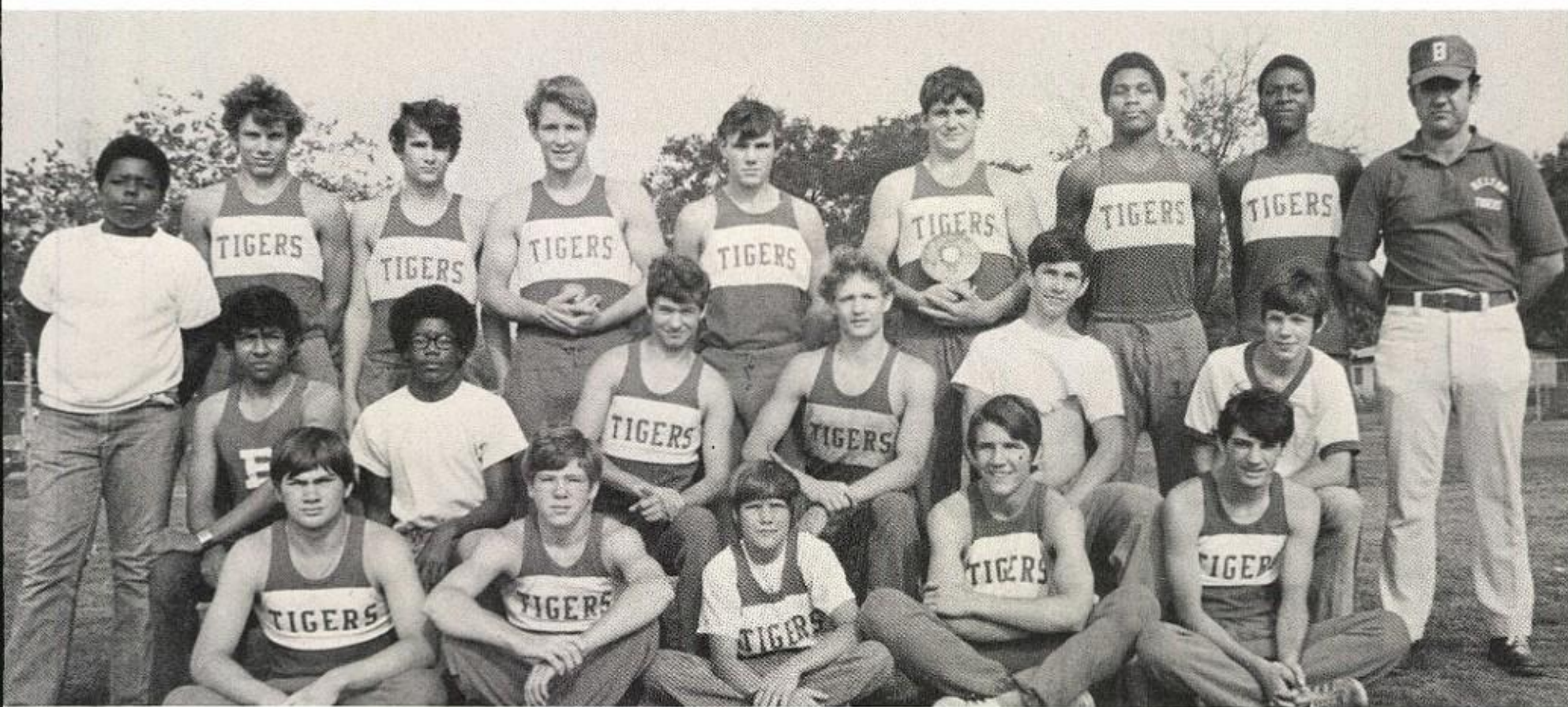
David Kelley gives all he's got to the track team.

The sprinters this year were: Trammel, Kelley, Hargrove, Marcus Russell, Lee Russell, Royster, Rose, Nelson, and Franklin. These men won first in district and fourth in region. Bryan won second in district and placed third in region.

Matt Cawthon stretches to clear the hurdles.

The discus and shot putters were: Brooks, Lingo, and Lingo.

The mile relay team was comprised of Sweeney, Bay, Hargrove, and Russell.



Oris Welch displays how to pole vault.

The members of the field events were: Logan, Sweeney, Welch, Royster, Stowers and Franklin.

The Freshmen members are: Kimbel, Caldwell, Smyth, Karriker, Collier, Whitely, Fletcher, Trevino, Stowers, West, Otrupcak, Connely, Kemp, Whitley, Jones, Wesson, Garrett, and Young.

The hurdlers of the track team are: Sweeney, Cawthon, Bay, and Robertson. Cawthon placed second in district and fifth in regional.

TIGERETTES GIRLS TRACK . . .



This was the first year at B.H.S. that we had a girl's track team. The girls that participated in the team made it quite a success.

The girls on the team were I. Schofield, B. White, B. Powell, M. Patterson, T. Mumme, D. Cagle, V. Collins, G. True, C. Weir, D. Ybarra, D. Butler, L. Wood, V. Armstrong, D. Hilliard, and D. Tubbs. The track managers were R. Lundy and D. Siegler.

Mrs. Sitz and Coach Mitchell coached the girls to their winning season.

Tracy Mumme did an excellent job on the team by placing in the district and regional meet. She won first in the district 880 dash and fourth in region.





The relay teams did an excellent job in the district meets. Several of the girls placed in the meet and should be congratulated on a job well done.

The members of the relay team are T. Mumme, M. Patterson, V. Collens, D. Cagle, B. White, C. Weir, L. Wood, I. Schofield, and B. Powell.

Denise, Brenda, Ida, and Mary participated in the 880 relay. Linda, Mary, Denise, and Ida ran in the 440 relay.

Denise Cagle was high point girl on the track team. She also placed third in the hurdles at district.

GIRLS—BOYS TENNIS



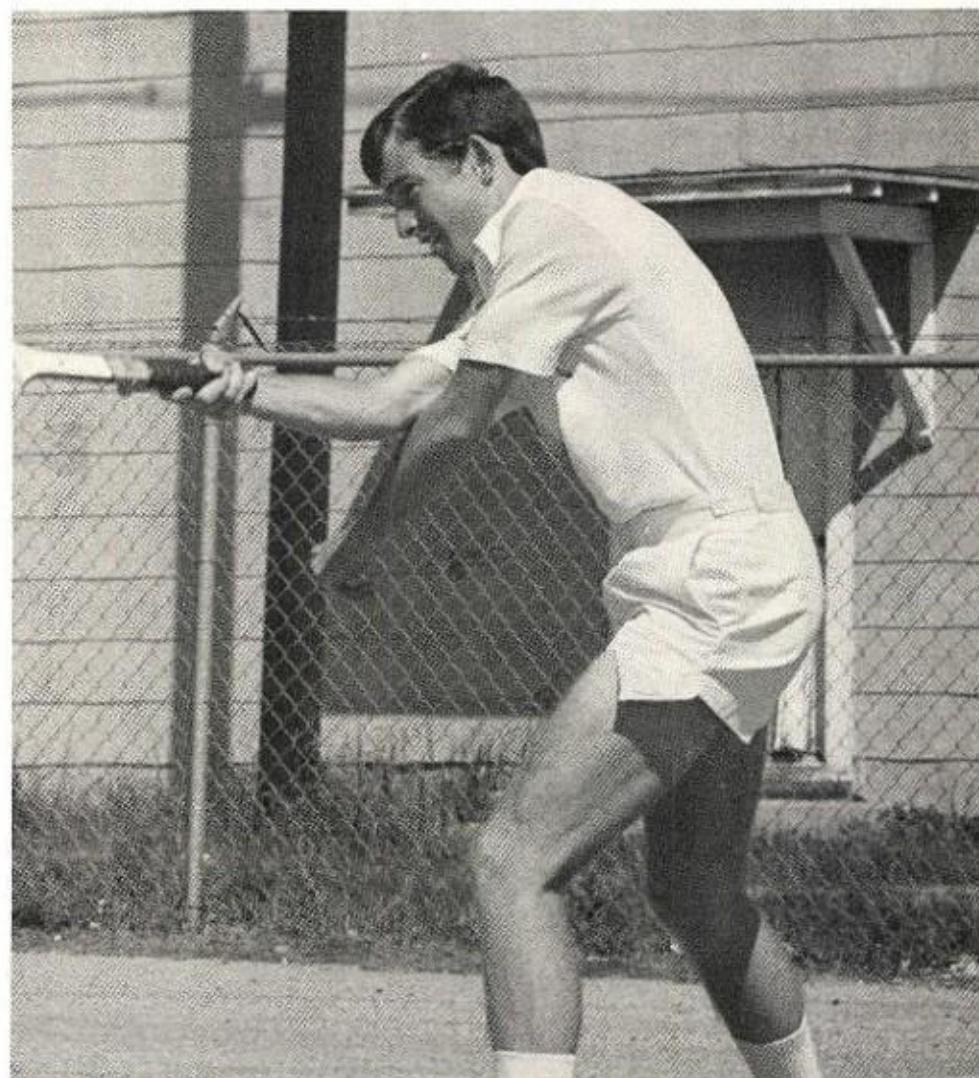
The tennis teams this year did another fine job by winning several matches and tournaments.

The girls team members were: Debbie Kasberg, Kelli Lanphere, Debbie Whitmire, Rhonda Michel, Tara Van Gordon, Tammy Anderson, Peggy Connally, Lisa Guillen, Barbara Watts, Pam Hughling, and Cassie Tuttle.



Mrs. Sitz coached the girls tennis team and the boys team as well.

Gordon Hilley tries to reach the ball to return the serve.



Roy Castillo swings hard to connect with the ball.

Randy Hickerson follows through to hit the ball over the net.

The tennis players were Kenny Durr, Gordon Hilley, Robert Holland, Louis Driska, Roy Castillo, Mike Marlin, Frank Acosta and Randy Hickerson.

Louis Driska displays good form as he attempts to hit the ball.

GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL



Mrs. Douglas, Coach, put in much time and effort working with the teams and leading them to a great year.

The managers helped the teams in many ways. Pictured are: Jackie Burris, Cathy Harris, and Emma Bush.

Junior Varsity: M. Butler, A. Franklin, T. Titlow, J. Rinn, D. Bridges, S. Farr, B. Hill.

The Varsity Volleyball team played Georgetown to win zone, and Taylor to win the District title. They fell short of Regional playing against Channel View. Pictured are: A. Jones, C. Harris, C. Alford, J. Ash, B. Octrupcak, C. Marlin, J. Wilson, C. Jackson.



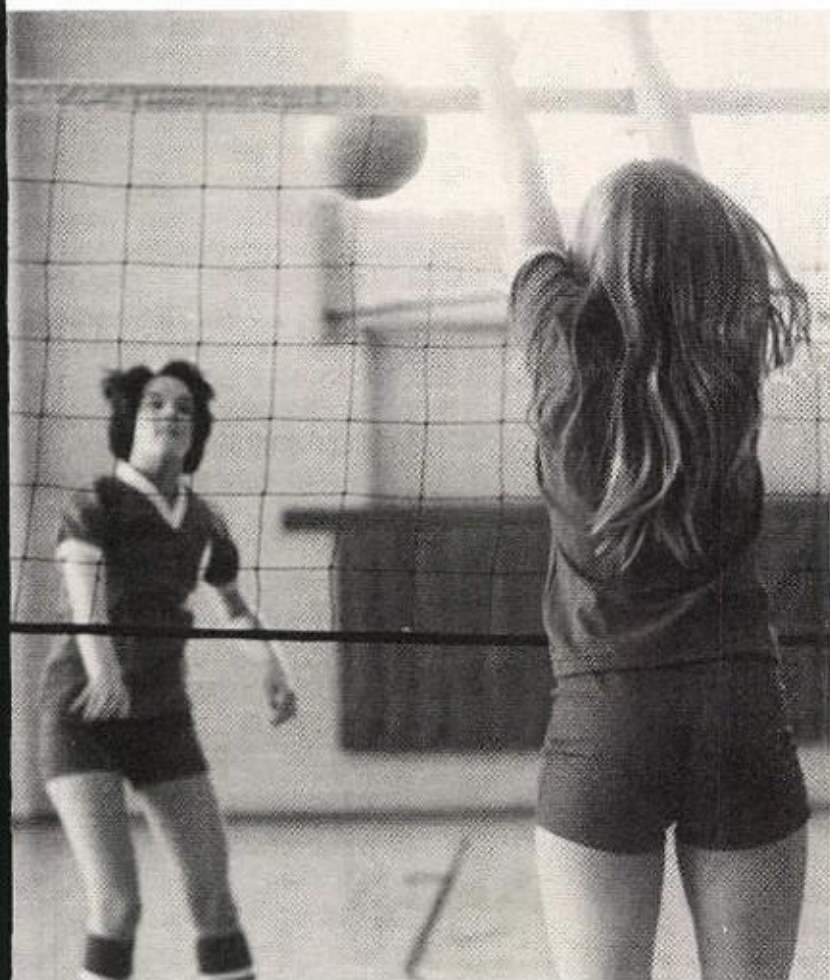


Freshman team: M. Shed, J. Krotz, D. Obermiller, J. Harris, M. Smith, A. Locklin, M. Guillen, S. Cock.

Octrupcak goes up at the net to block Wilson's spike.

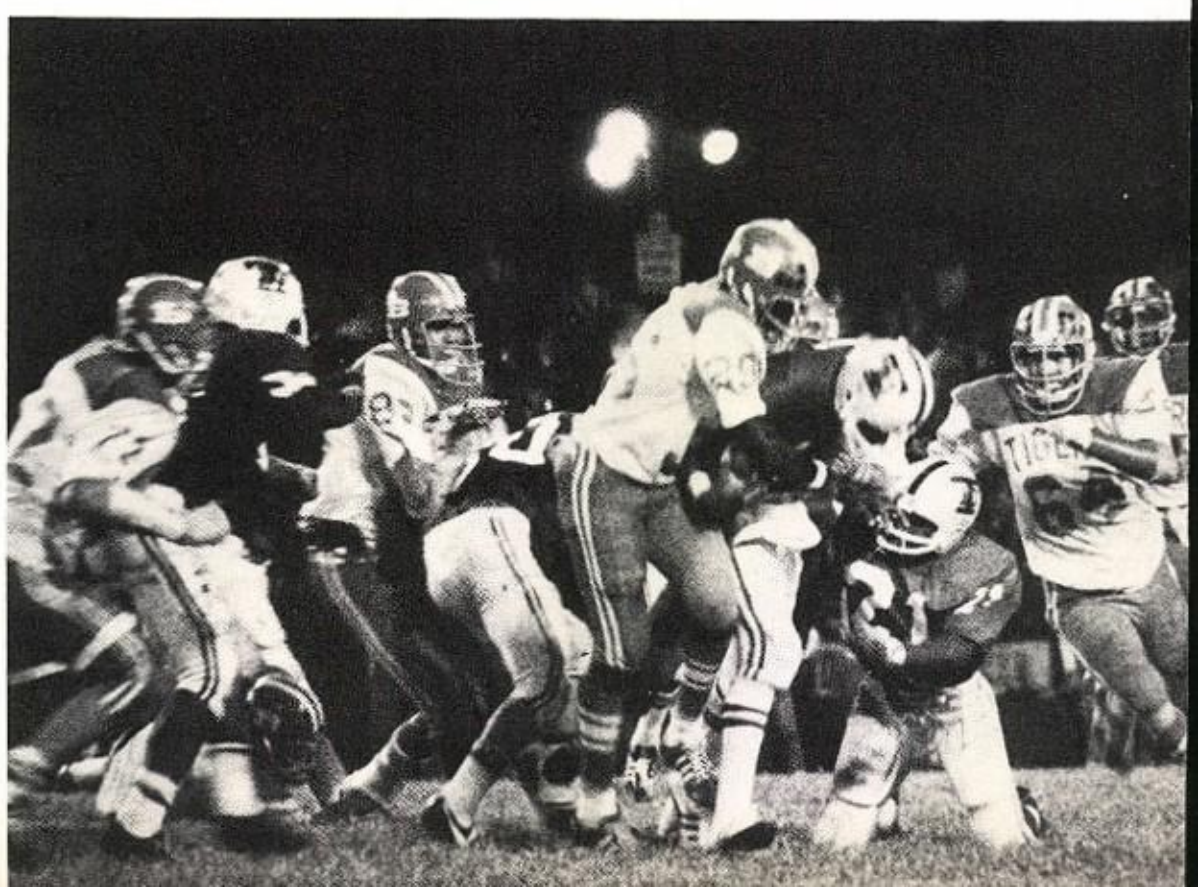
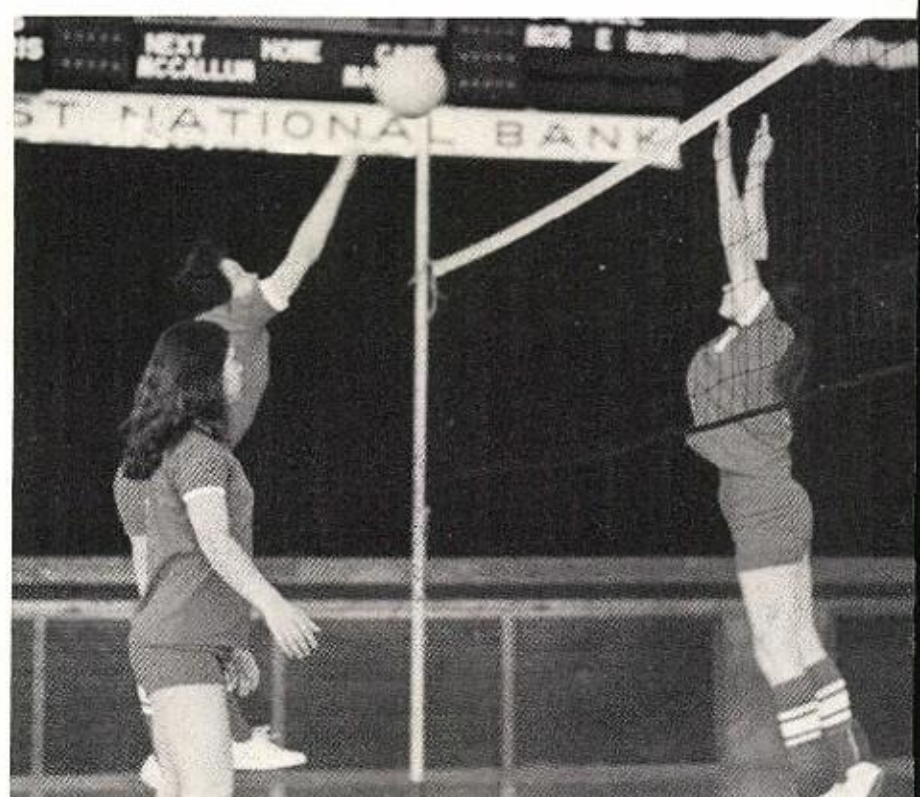
Alford spikes the ball as Jackson looks on.

Alana Jones was this year's Captain. She was also named to the All-Star Team and was the Outstanding Girl Athlete, a new award from BHS.

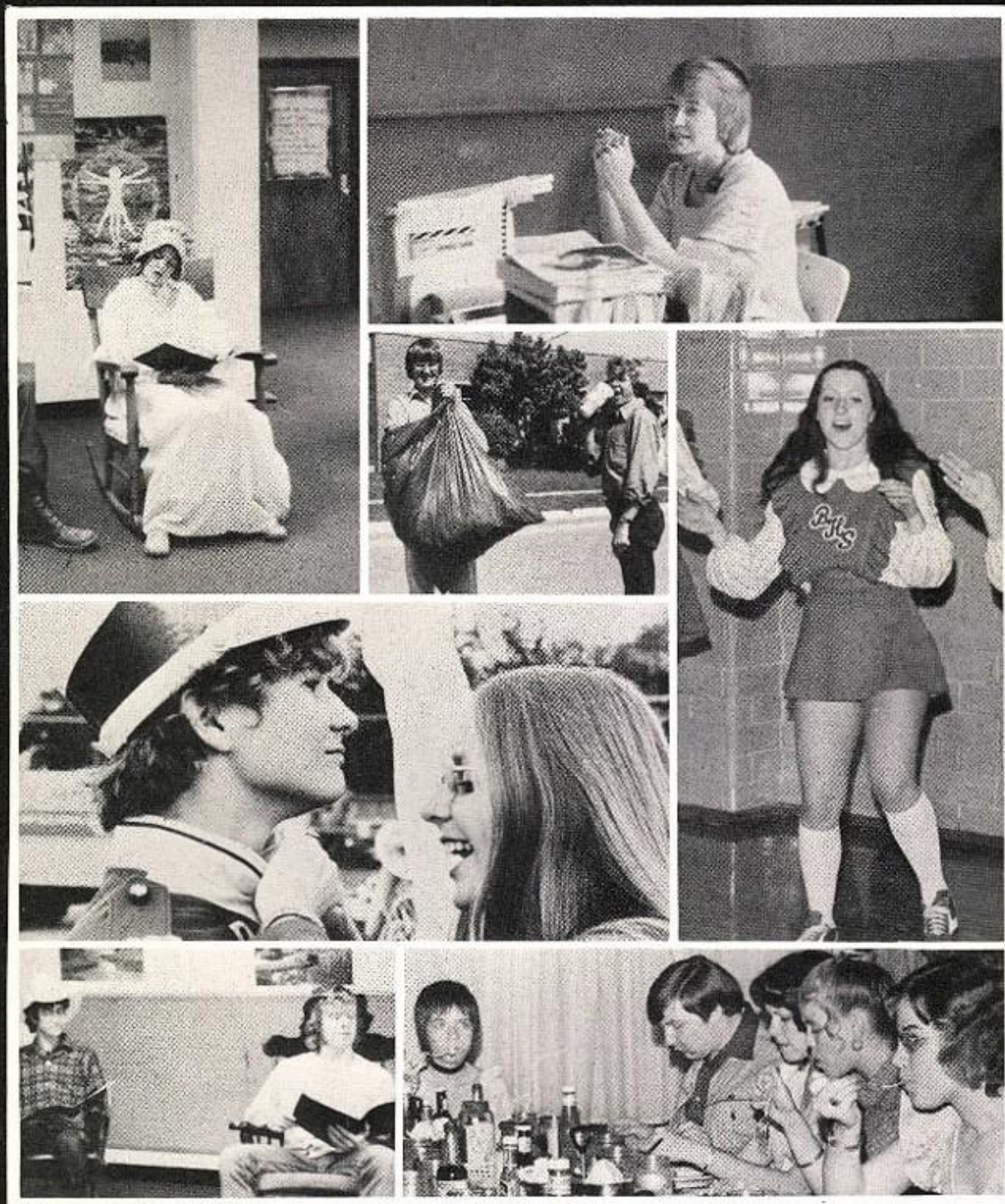


Bumping the ball is one of the many things that the varsity does to warm-up.

SPORTS IN ACTION



ORGANIZATIONS . . . HIDDEN TREASURES



STUDENT GOVERNMENT

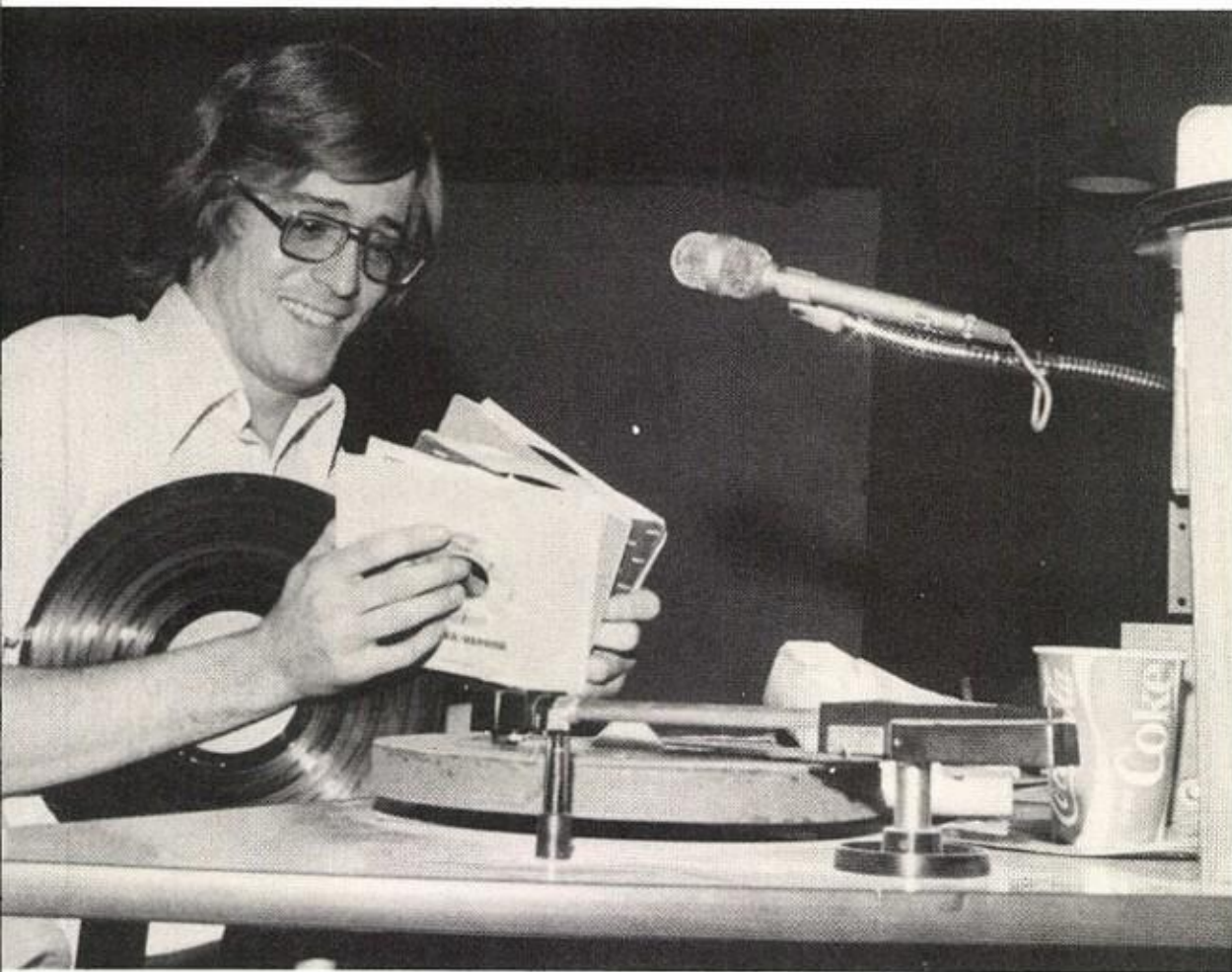


This year's Student Government had the friendly help of their sponsors Mrs. Hughes and Mr. Tomlinson, who took part in all facets of school life.

The Student Gov't. this year voted on the following year's dress code and the homecoming dance.

Janet and Roy make a cute couple dancing to the country and western songs at the sock hop sponsored by the Student Government.





STUDENT GOV'T. GETS IT ON

Some couples take advantage of good music and get with it.

Andy Shaw gets in a tight spot filling requests.

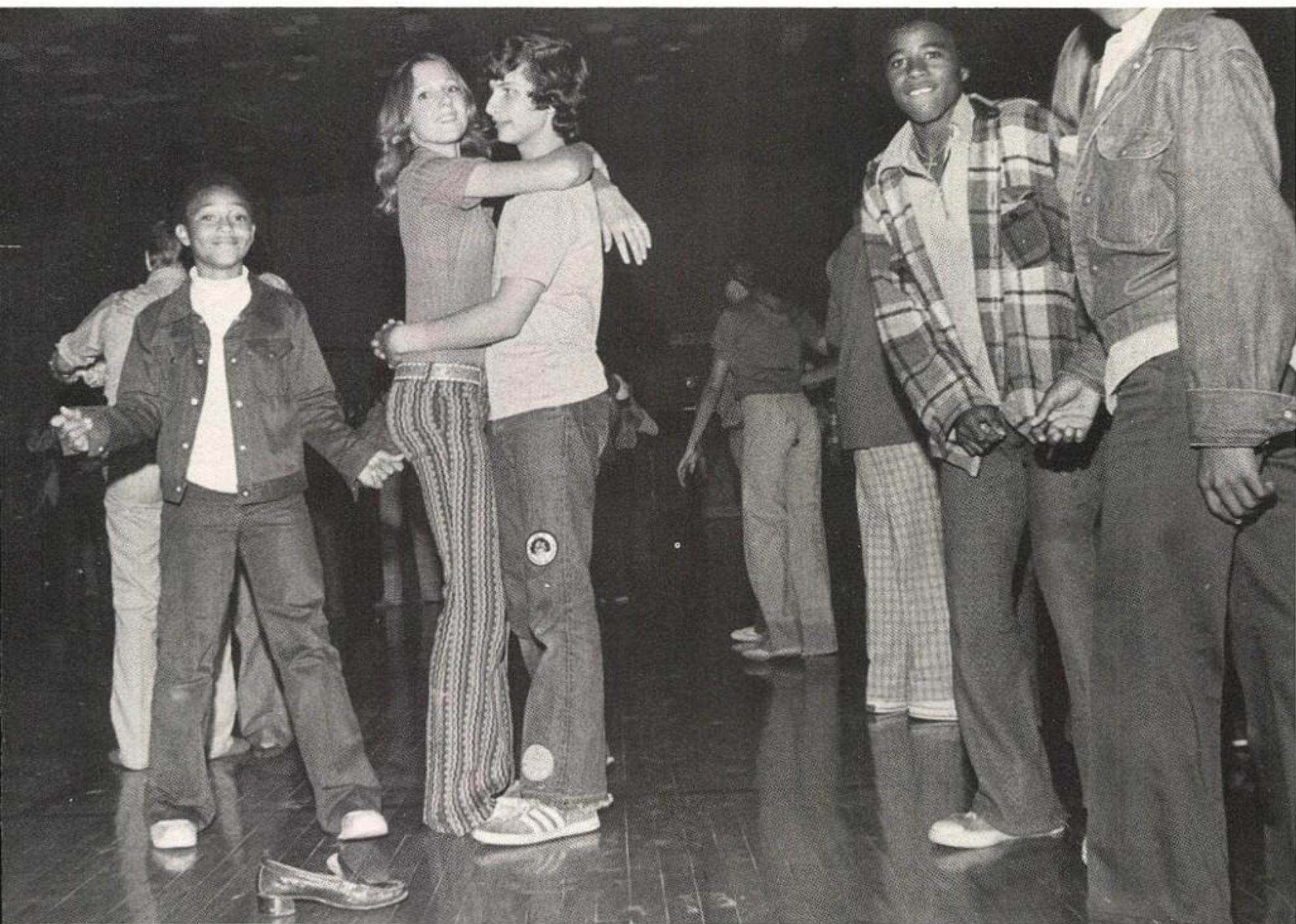
STUDENT GOVERNMENT FACES



Erin, David, Lucy, and Lindsey as class officers are a part of the student government.

Some of the students took to the hall to get fresh air between dances.

Student government sponsors were Shirley Hughes and Elvin Tomlinson.



Dancing was fun several different styles—close together, by yourself, or in spirit only as shown by the empty shoe.

Teresa and Bryan knew how to boogie down.

Gretchen and David seem to be enjoying doing their own thing.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



The 1974-75 Honor Society three year members are R. Lastovica, T. Sanford, E. Breneck, T. Williams, D. Floyd, D. Hanes, T. Albright, S. Alexander, M. Wilson.

The 1974-75 officers were Pam Phillips, Treasurer; Ronald Lastovica, President; Debbie Whitmire, Secretary; Teresa Albright, Vice President.

Making sure their grades were up to par were the sponsors Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Eads.



NHS CLEAN-UP AND INDUCTION. . .



The new NHS members are Woods, Russell, Thornton, Lawthorn, Kelly, Oglesby, Otrupcak, Baggerly, Brooks, Day, Durr, Hendricks, Hosch, Coufal, Faglie, Stewart, Varrick, Meyer, Hotz, Black, Moomaw, Fincher, Jarosek, Hernandez, Maddux, Krotz, Delouch, Williams, Hilley, Callus, Kennedy, Rudasill, Morin, Wright, Hughling, Stevens, Rutherford, Stark, Leach, Hojnacki, Trojan, Rice, Brown, Ludwick, Lamphere, Bartlett, Johnson,

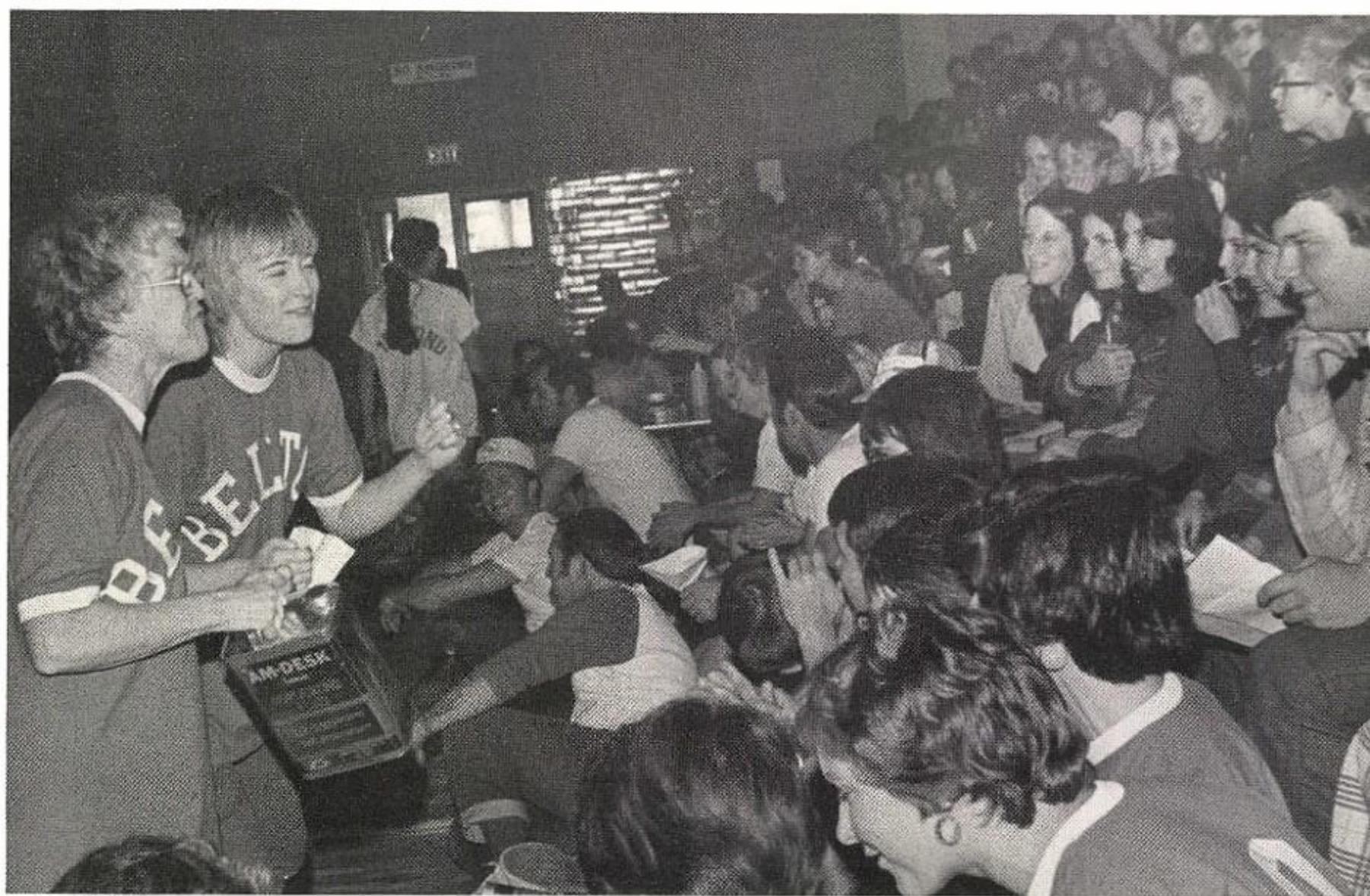


King, Kirby, and Shiller.

Mary Wilson looks on as Debra Kallus lights her NHS candle.

Pam Jansen and Terry Ervin pitch in a little in the clean-up.

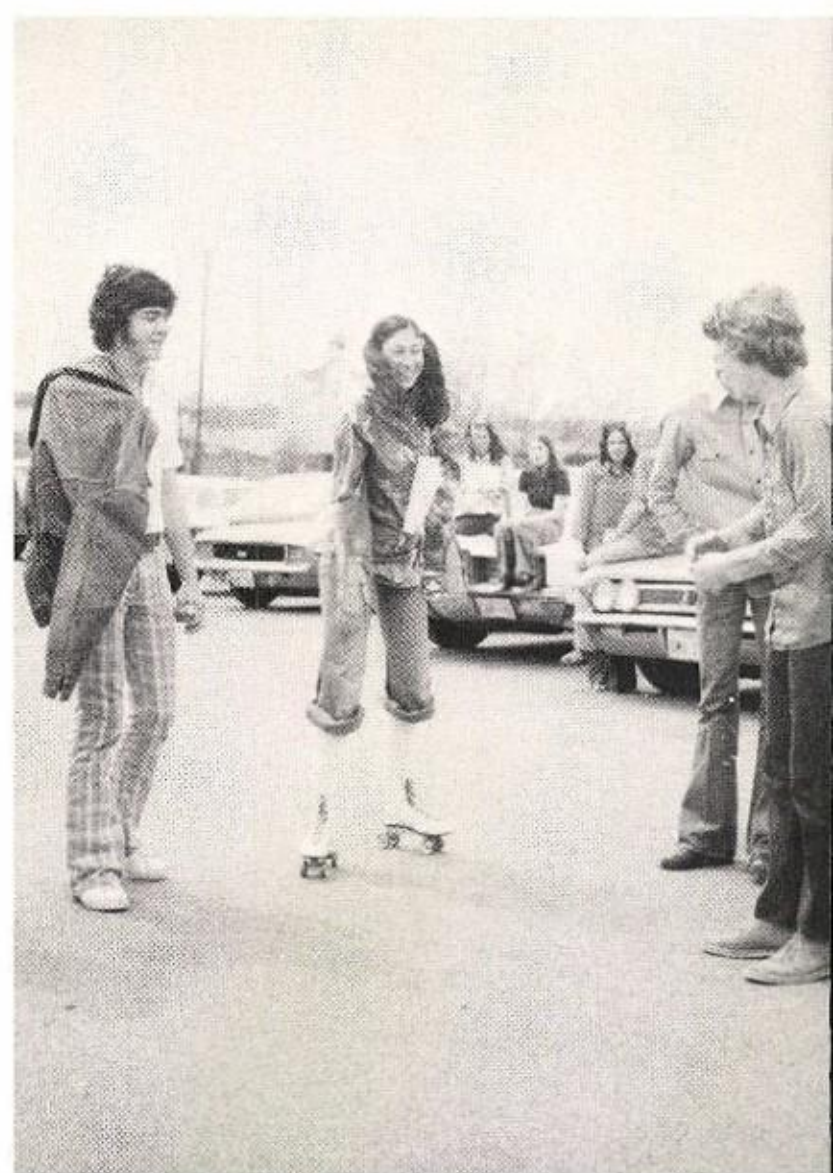
VOLLEYBALL GAME AND SLAVE DAY



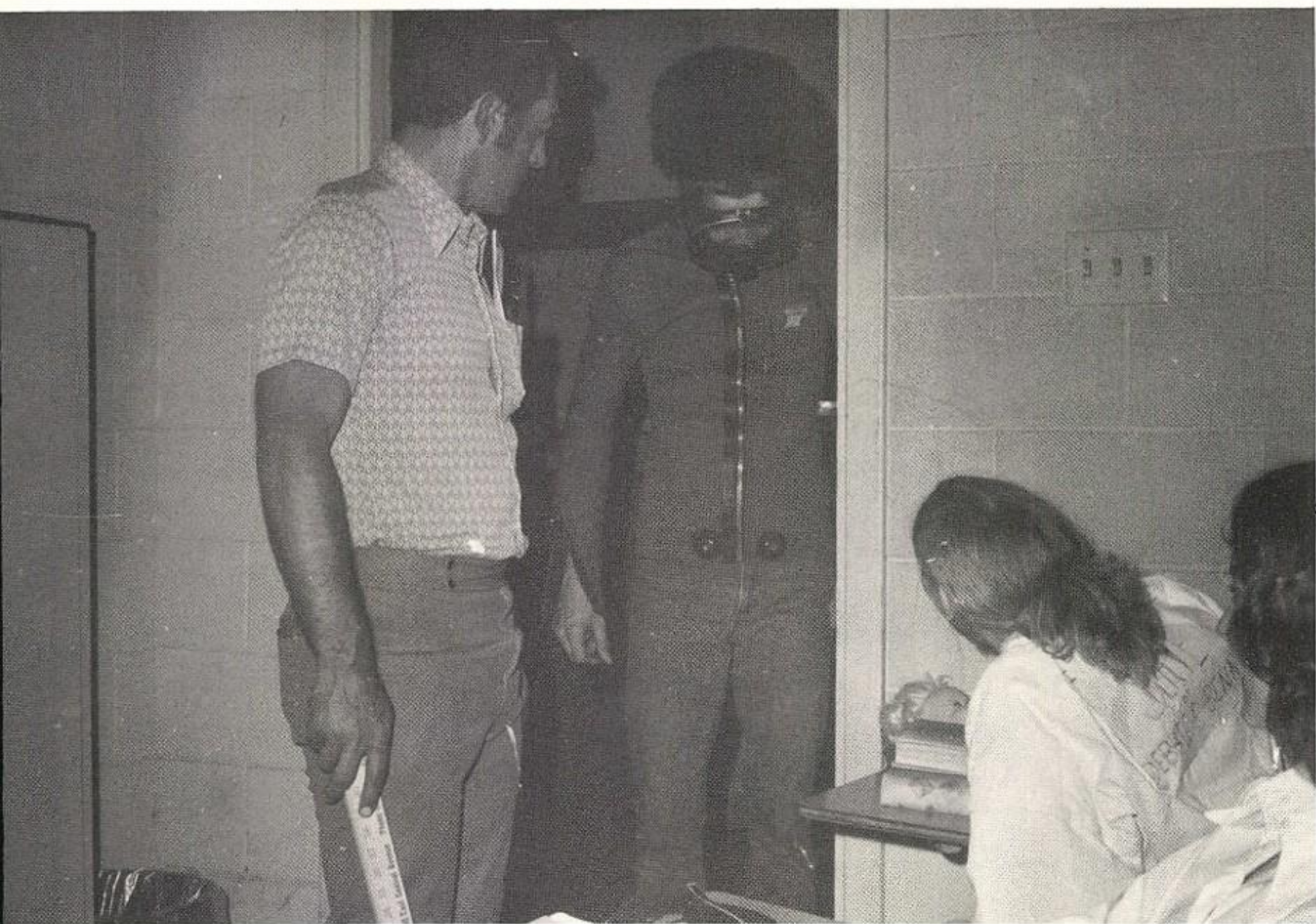
Mrs. Lilla Barnes and Mrs. Psencik lead a cheer for the teachers team.

Louis Boren cracks his whip at a volunteer slave.

The honor society donated two-thirds of the slave day profits to a special fund for Richard Coufal, a brother of one of its members.



Lana Johnson, slave, takes a BREAK on her roller skates.



Coach Brooks warns Boyce Cabaniss his shirt tail is out—slave or not.

Tom Ludwick provided Bluegrass music for entertainment at the NHS banquet.

Mr. Eads was the guest speaker at the NHS banquet.

Lucy Ludwick introduces her father.

BIBLE CLUB



The Bible Club was reorganized in January of this year. There was a tremendous response to the club which had a very good list of programs. Jack Stwert headed the club this year, but said that officers would be elected the 1975-1976 school year.



Pam and Tommy Taylor were just one of the outstanding speakers for the Bible Club.

Mrs. Welch was this year's sponsor.

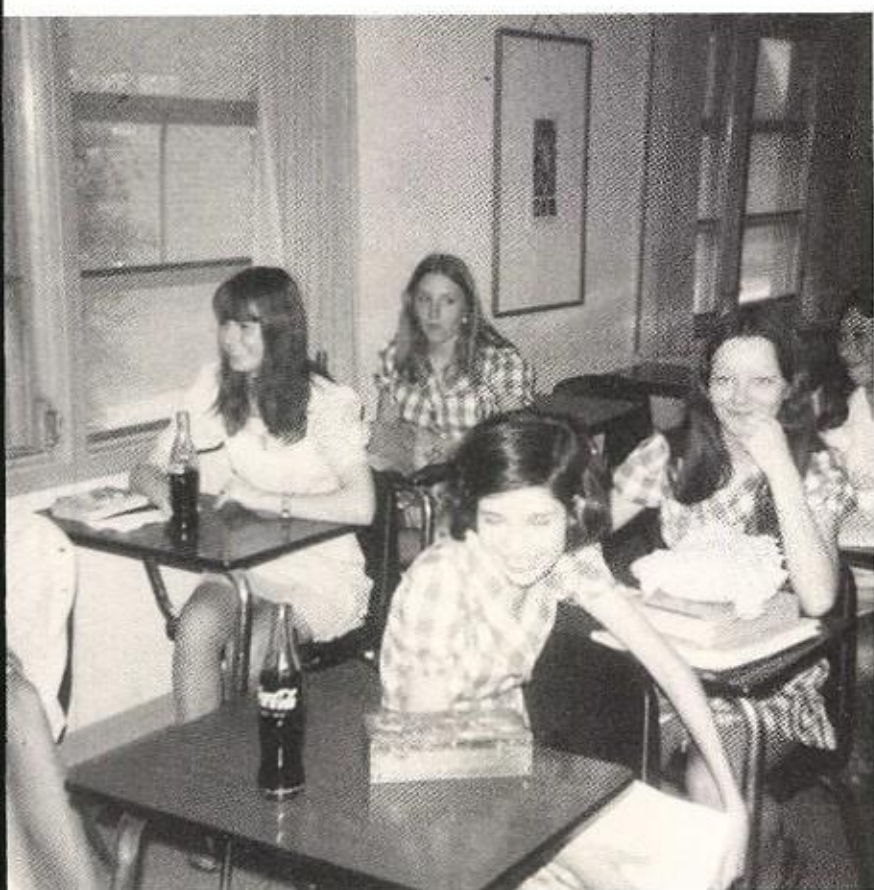
Tommy is a Drama and Speech teacher at T.J.C. and plays the guitar and harmonica very well.

Members of the club enjoy the entertainment brought to them by the Taylor's.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA



The 1974-75 FHA officers are B. Regan, Historian-Parliamentarian; S. Wilkerson, Treasurer; S. Alexander, Secretary; T. Beck, 5th Vice President; D. Southerland, 4th Vice President; C. Wiggins, 3rd Vice President; and M. Patterson, President. (Not pictured D. Cagle, 2nd Vice President.)



Bridgette Regan, Sheila Alexander, Teresa Beck, and Marsha Schiller enjoy refreshments at a FHA meeting.

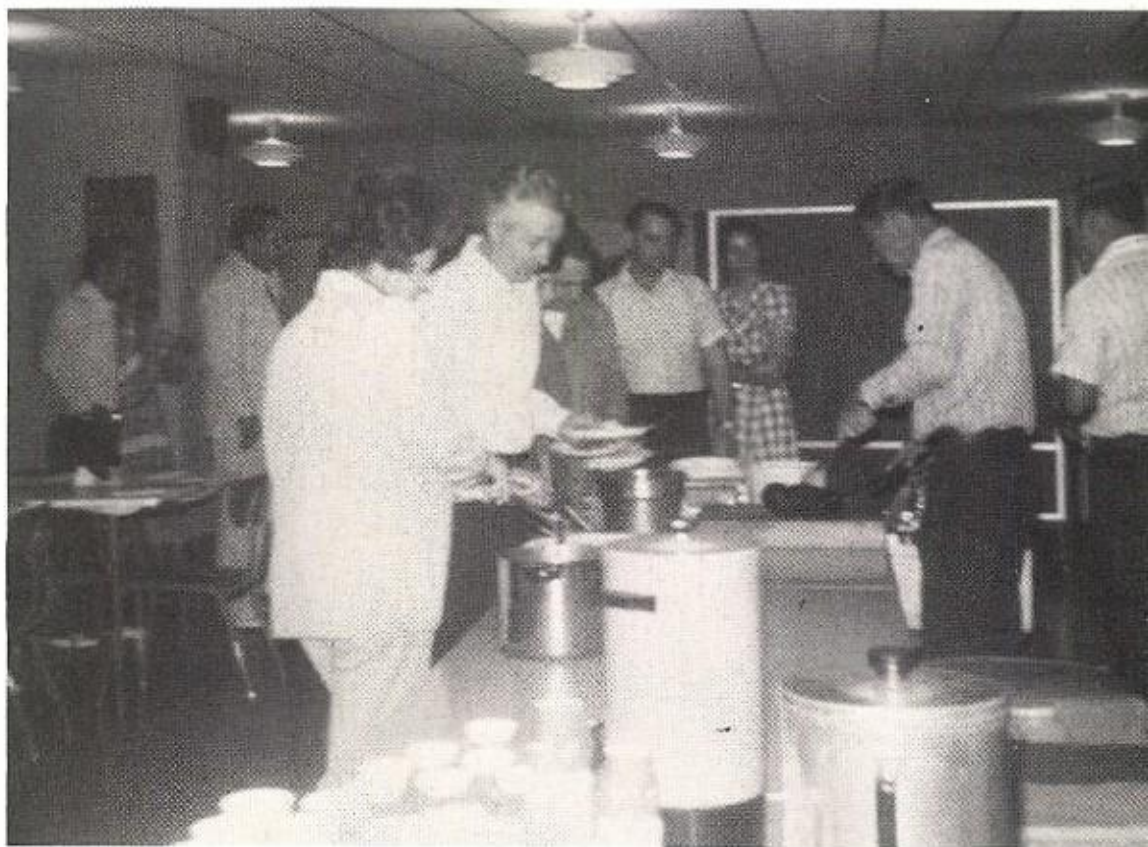
FHA members work at making tray favors for Crestview Manor.

Susan Pustka and Sheila Alexander pose at the Crestview Manor sign.



FHA BANQUET

Mrs. Potts tests the bar-b-que at the annual FHA banquet.



Teresa Beck and Mary Patterson demonstrate the Jitterbug.



Debbie Southerland and Cindy Wiggins impersonate the Beatles.





The theme for the FHA banquet was the 30's, "Memories Are Made of This."



Cinday Hollar, "John Girl," encounters a friendly farmer, Monica Sanders.



Susan Pustka and Cindy Hollar play Ma and John Girl.

THE FHA ENTERTAINS

Cherly McKay and Susan Wilkenson do the Charleston at the FHA banquet.

Debbie and Cindy get it on in singing "I Wanna Hold Your Hand."

Carol Lewy, Marsha Schiller and Bridgette Regian in a scene from "Dragnet."





TIGER STAFF

The Tiger Staff has worked hard this year trying to put together the school activities in one paper and selling them for ten cents. It has been hard work, but rewarding.

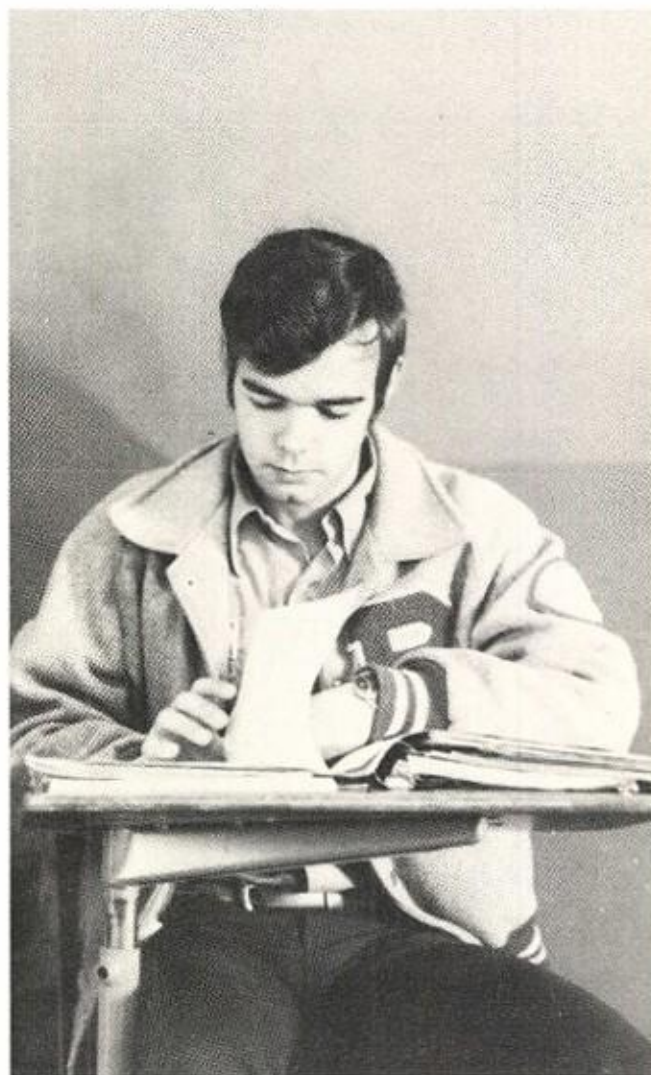
Sheryl Alexander, Editor-in-Chief and Helen Wright, Asst. Editor listen attentively as the sponsor, Mrs. Kay Psencik, gives directions.



Donna Chrisner, Advertising Manager; Jim Warehime, Student Affairs Editor; Helen Wright, and Darrell Beauchamp, Copy Editor are getting a few pointers from their Assistant Editor.

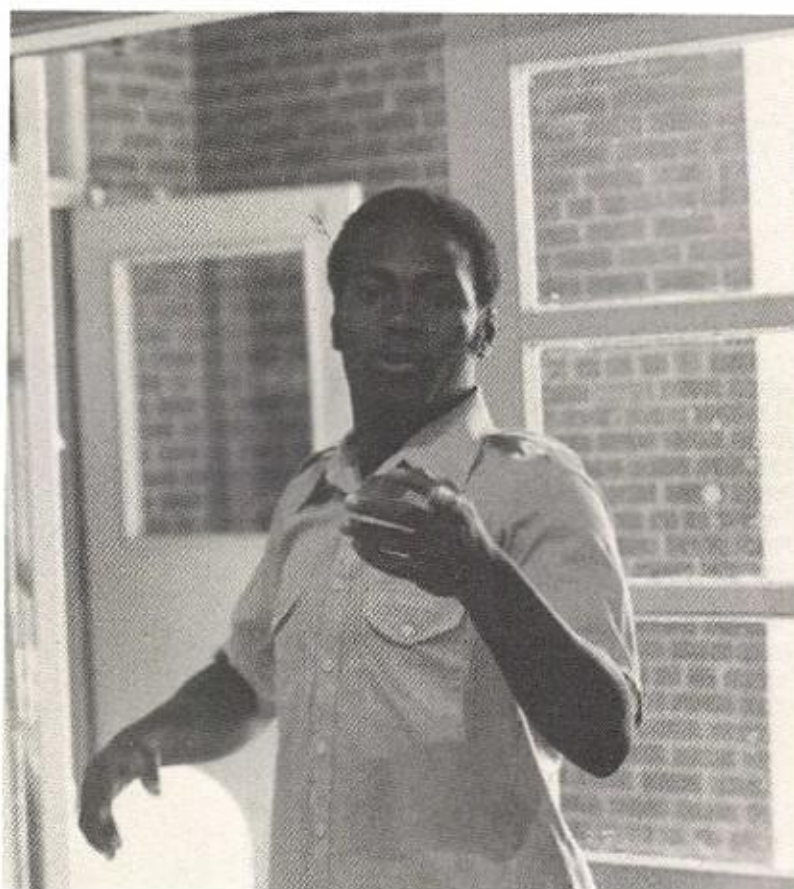
Darlene Butler, Circulation Editor, looks over the staff's final job of THE TIGER.

Bobby Wulf, Sports Editor patiently sits trying to conglomerate a few words depicting the sports world.



TIGER STAFF

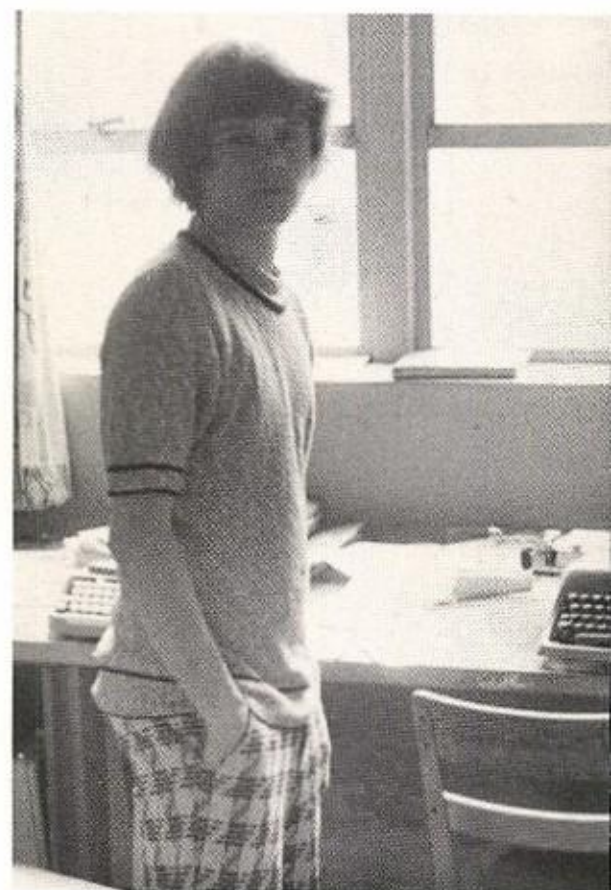
Sponsor—Mrs. Psencik, Willie Godding, Suzanne Housewright, Sheryl Alexander, Donna Christner, Jim Warehime, Helen Wright, Beth Tippet, Sheila Altum, Bobby Wulf, and Darrell Beachamp. (Not pictured are Darlene Butler and Eric Nelson.)

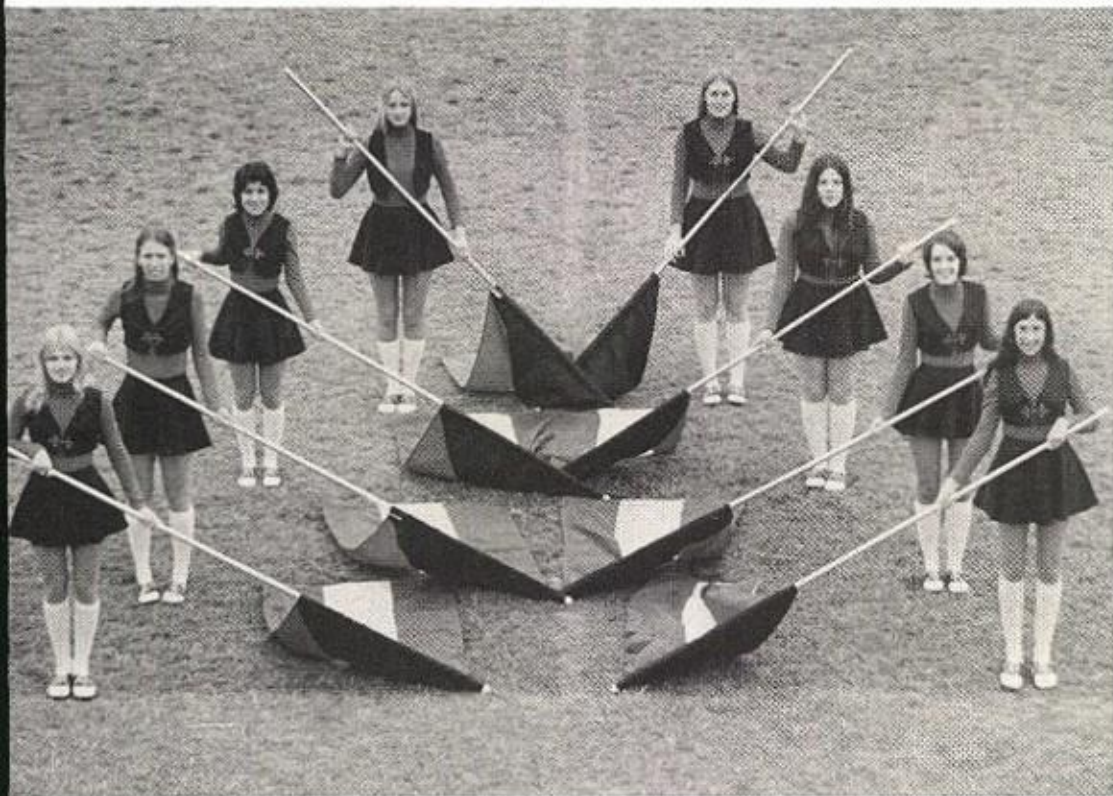


Eric Nelson keeps his eye out for anything that might be good to report, "especially sports."

Darrell Beachamp was copy editor.

Willie Gooding shows his talent as a reporter.





MARCHING 100 BAND

Mr. Crain is one of the best known directors in the State of Texas. He has been a great help to the Marching 100 Band the past ten years. His dedication, service, pride, and hard work in the band and this town is shown daily in his enthusiastic personality.

The three '74-'75 Band Sweetheart nominees were Teresa Albright, Debbie Whitmire, and Kelli Lanphere. Debbie was selected as the sweetheart.

The first year of a Flag Corps brought color to the band at it's half-time shows. Members were Marlin, Harris, Gregory, Harvell, Cox, Wilson, Loew, (Co-Captain), and Johnson (Captain).



'74-'75 Band Officers: Stewart, Russell, Boren, Sanderford, Hanes, Walker (Historian), Scott (Historian) Alexander, L. Price, Woody (2nd Lieutenant), Sanford (Captain), Putska (1st Lieutenant) Owens, Dannelly, Hanes (Drum Major) R. Price, and Floyd (Secretary).

The participation of the Big Red pep band was beneficial to the Tiger basketball victories.

Percussionists Jack Stewart and Craig Smith help with the pep band to support the basketball team to victory.



Teague Byrd and Peggy Connally get together for a sectional.

Peggy Connally supports Dean Higgonbotham's childish behavior.



SWEEPSTAKES

Because of the hard work of the Marching 100, the reward was a Sweepstakes trophy. They received this by winning first place in Marching and Concert. It was the first in 10 years.

The Marching 100 participates in the Annual Parade of Champions Super Marching Contest in Dallas.

The fast entrance is the highlight of every half-time performance.



The band practiced until time to leave on the buses for Buccaneer Days in Corpus Christi.





As the Band was preparing to leave for Corpus, Tim Beacham was greeted by his friends as he recovers from an accident in which he was involved.

The mass confusion at the Red Carpet Inn at Padre Island was hectic as the students were issued their keys to their rooms.

Ronald Moss and Betty Harvell take advantage of the sand by burying Debbie Meyer.



DANCING MAJORETTES

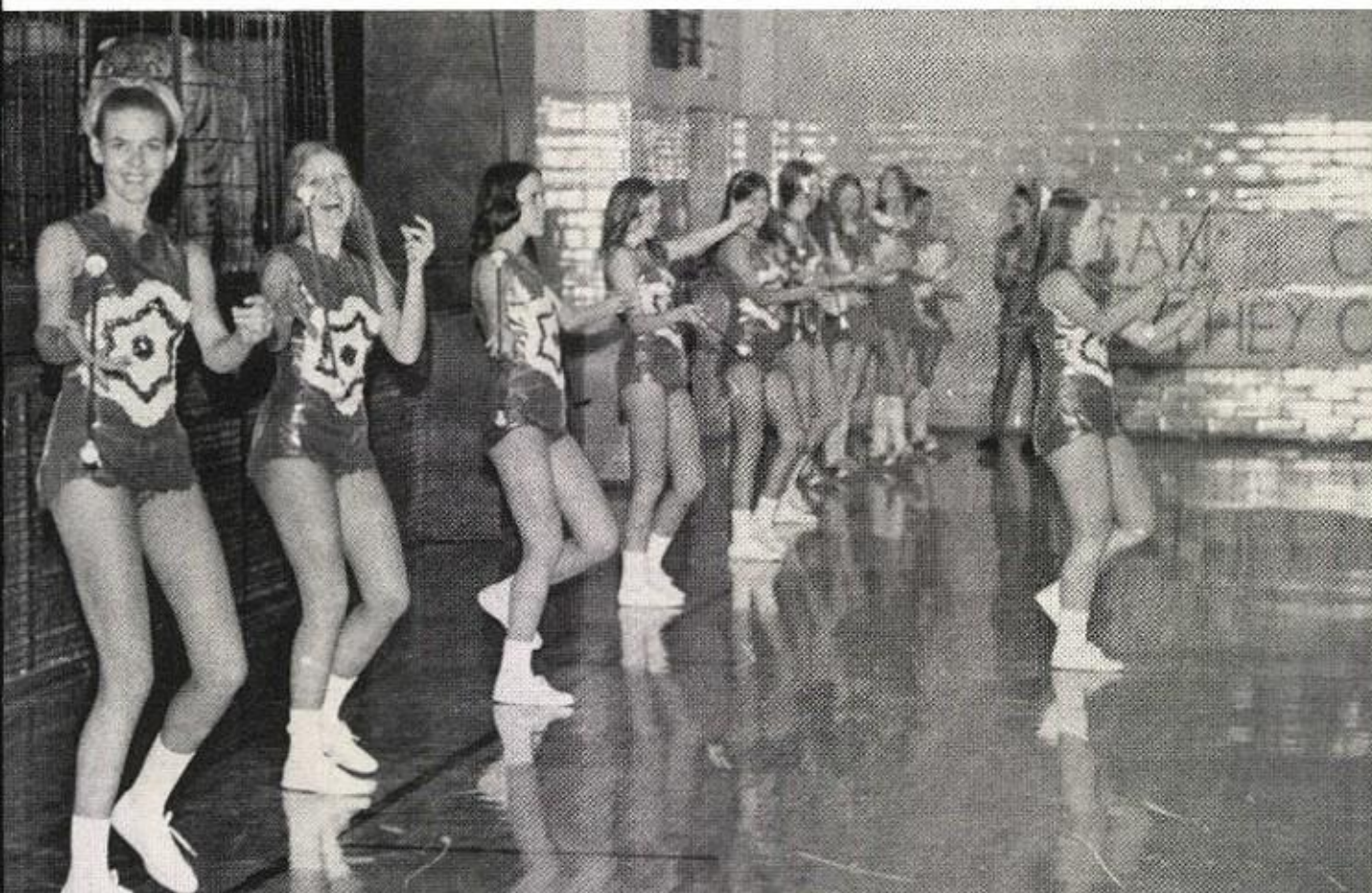


This year's twirlers are: Burson, Steger, Bridges, Hanes, Head Twirler, Janeway, McFarland, Stark, and Burns.



The Twirlers this year have won many awards. At Golden Gulf Twirling Camp they won first place over all other twirling lines. They were chosen Best Majorette Line at contest and also top ratings at U.I.L. solo and ensemble contest. Mr. Crain's Dancing Majorettes performed at halftime of all football games plus various other activities.

Angie, Debbie, Mary Jo stand at attention while waiting to lead the Band on to the field.



Debbie Hanes leads twirlers in a dance routine.



Twirlers show their spirit by joining in the pep band between basketball games.

The twirlers are doing a routine to Wabash Cannon Ball one of the crowd's many favorite songs.



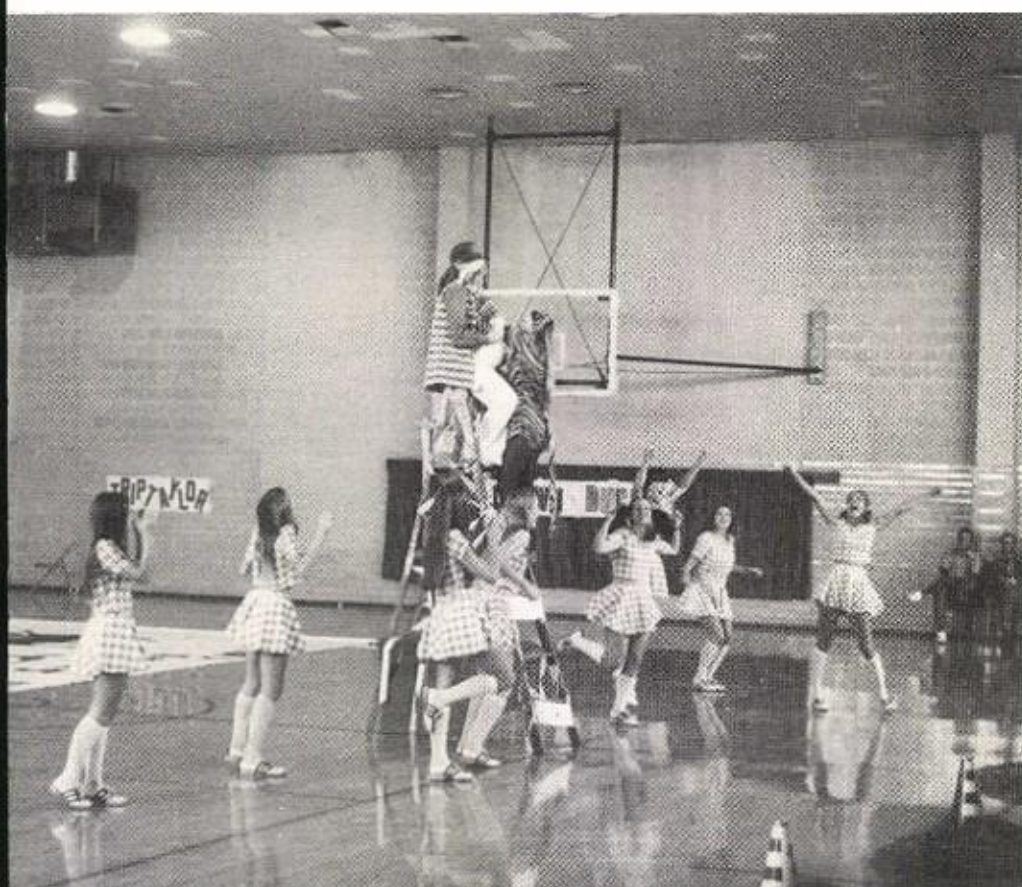
Enthusiasm is shown by twirlers while they participate in a BIG RED pep rally.

Twirlers take part in the traditional Bonfire.





BIG RED CHEER- LEAD- ERS



The 1974-75 Big Red Cheerleaders were Becky K., Kathy M., Carrie D., Virginia D., Lisa S., Laurie S. Head, Becky O., and Belinda C.

Throughout the football season all afternoon pep rallies were lead by cries of "Go, mighty Tiger!" and "Let's Go Big Red!"

A great honor for this year's cheerleaders was to lead the Big Red Machine to another victory.

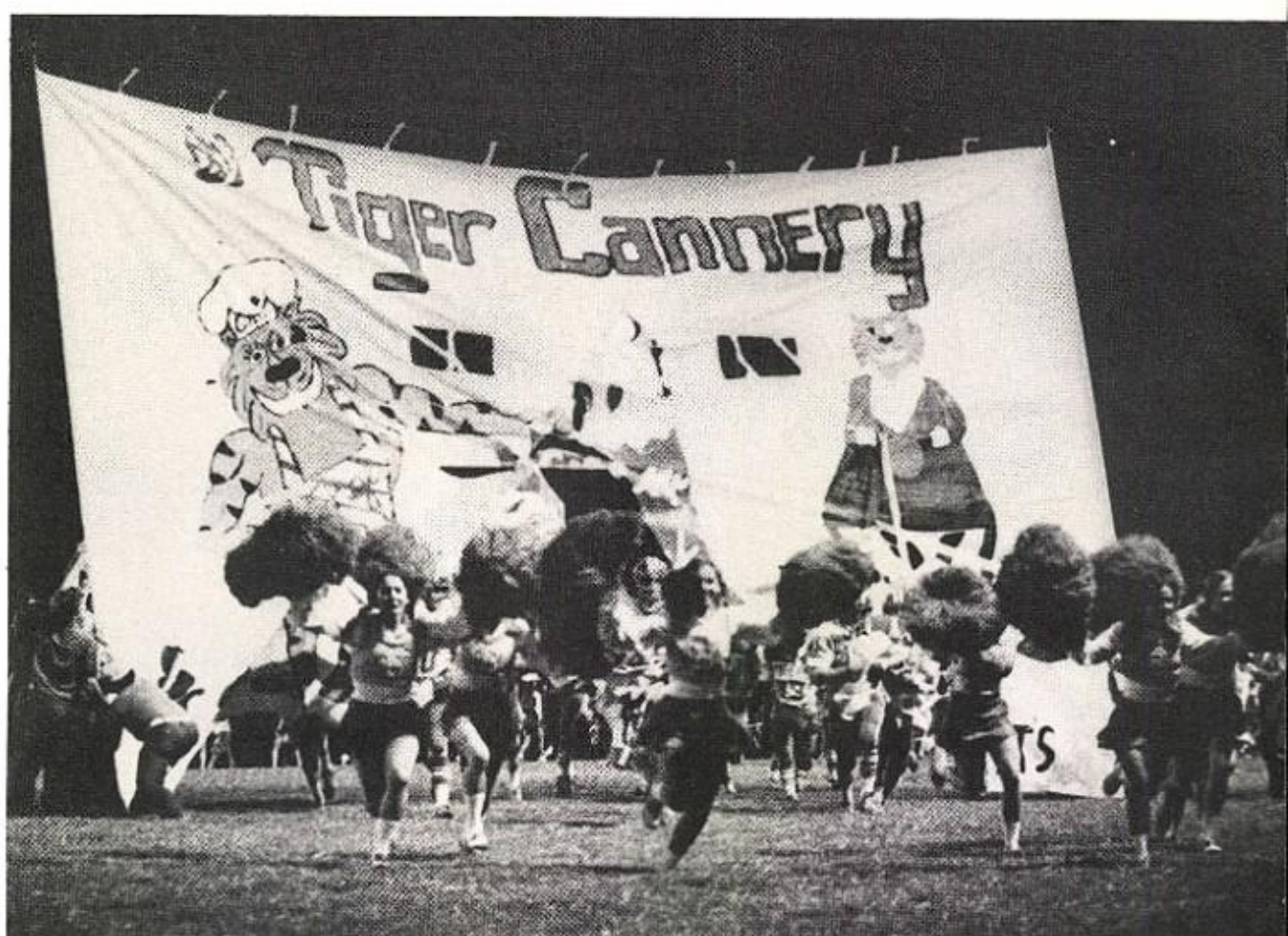
The Cheerleaders prove their enthusiasm during a game.

The cheerleaders helped organize the bonfire to give students enthusiasm and spirit for a very important game.



Cheerleaders show their spirit by sending the boys off to a game.

Cheerleaders wait to bring the Tigers through the traditional Big Red Sign.



THESPIAN AND DRAMA



A shotgun wedding? No, just Thespian Troupe 425 doing what comes naturally for them—acting.

Drama Club students presented a cutting of Fox-fire I and II, novels written by high school students about the superstitions and philosophies of the older generation of Georgia.

Those who participated in the play were Beverly Schmidt, Johnny Bohlin, Darrell Beauchamp, Jim Warehime, Sheryl Alexander, Sally Rutherford, Leah Rudasill, and (not pictured Carl Black.)



CALAMITY JANE . . .



With much preparation and rehearsal, "Calamity Jane" was a big choir success at Belton High School this year.

Jane Edmondson applies the right touch of makeup before a production.

Mrs. Lilla Barnes finishes some last-minute art work for "Calamity Jane."

Frances Fryer (Ricky Robinson) entertains some regular customers of the Golden Garter Saloon.

Calamity (Diana Dulaney) tells the story of Chicago, the windy city.

LOVE AND LAUGHTER



Danny Gilmartin (Stan Hanes) calls on Katie Brown (Melinda Bridges).

Problems arise as the four have a dispute over who will take whom to the dance.

Everything works out as Calamity goes with Wild Bill (Johnny Bohlin).

Lt. Gilmartin and Katie Brown go to the dance singing, "Black Hills".



The "Love Bird" always works things out as it did for Mr. and Mrs. Wild Bill Hickock and Mr. and Mrs. Lt. Danny Gilmartin.

This year's choir officers were Ronnie Maddux, Melinda Bridges, Mr. Bob Johnson (Director), Dean Higgonbotham, and Johnny Bohlin.

Members of the choir were Maddux, Higgonbotham, Guajardo, Geer, Young, Pope, Christianson, Edmondson, Bridges, Pratz, Meyer, Walker, Hileman, Whitely, Rutherford, Rudasill, Minica, and King.



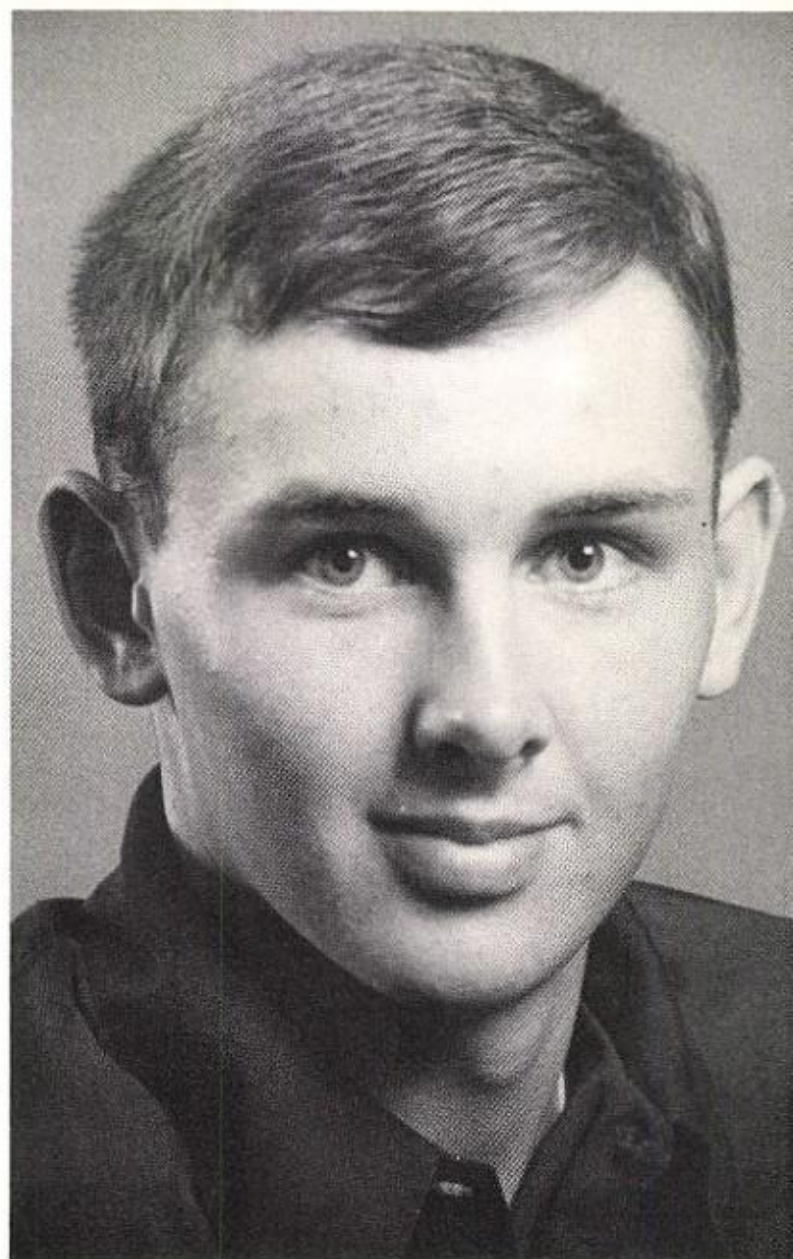
LATIN CLUB



The 1974-75 members of the Latin Club are Davis, Schmidt, Truitt, Moomaw, Kemp, Fowler, Lawson, Dalton—Sponsor, Dingus, Heard, D. Truitt, Standard, and Burk.

Marion Truitt was chosen CALPURNIA, which is the highest honor a girl can receive in the Latin Club.

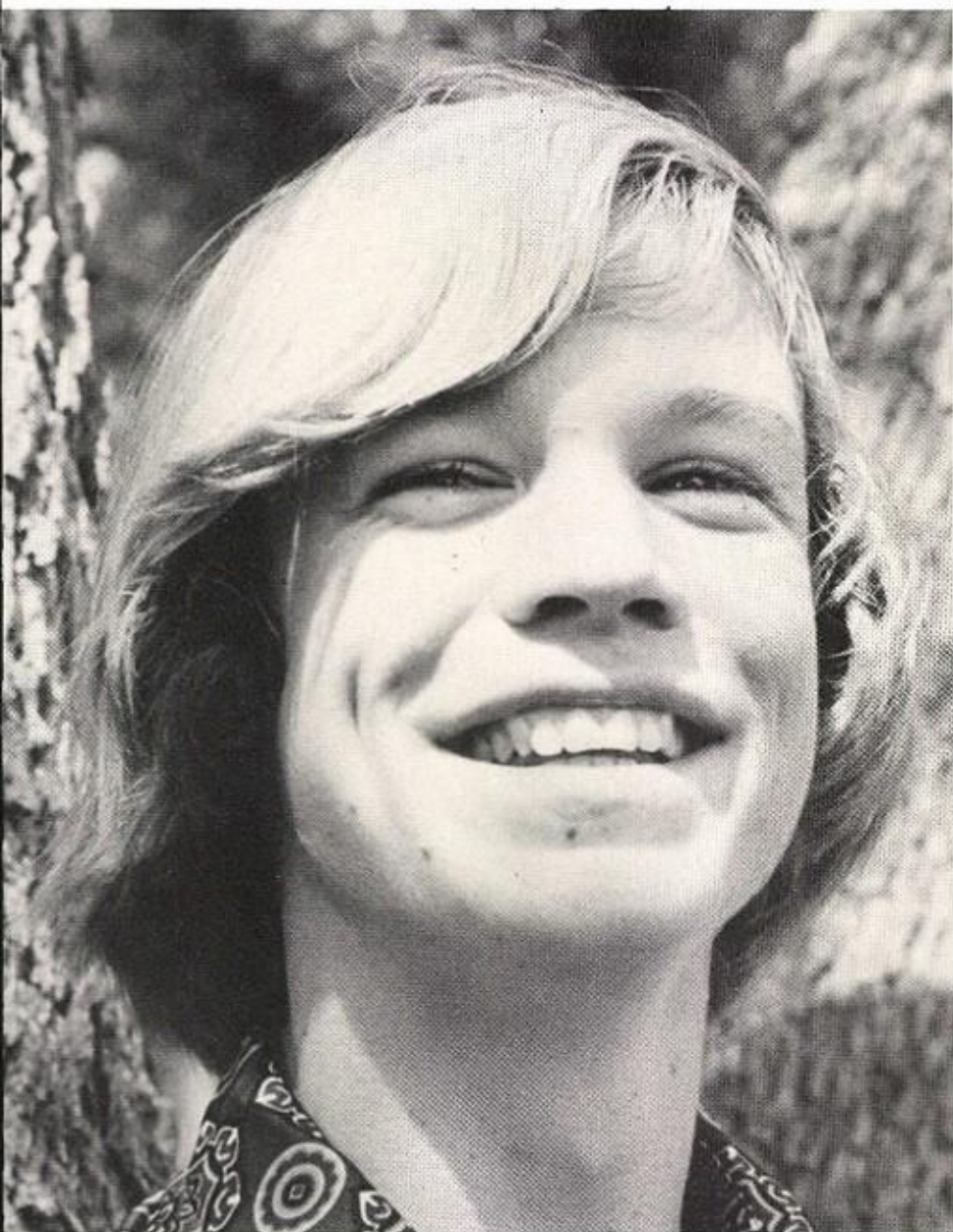




Mrs. Dalton was this year's sponsor for the Latin Club. Ronald Lastovica was chosen as this year's CAESAR. Beverly, Darlene, Carrie, Stan, and Carrie give a toast to their Latin her-

itage. They had their annual banquet at the Morgan's Point Clubhouse hosted by their parents.

SPANISH CLUB



This year's sponsors and officers were Mrs. Roessler, student teacher of Mr. Langford, Helen Wright, Stan Hanes, Elizabeth Guillen, and Mr. Langford. Some of their entertainment was Spanish dancers from SWTSU at San Marcos balancing drinks on their heads.

Chris O'Hara was chosen as this year's CABALLERO. Teresa Albright was chosen as this year's SENORITA.



These Spanish dancers supplied entertainment for one of the Spanish Club meetings.

A few members get together to play cards during a meeting.

Chris and Teresa get together for a quick picture after being selected "Senorita and Caballero."

Ernest Renteria, a former student and now attending SWTSU, gives a little speech to the club.

The Spanish Club members stop to eat.





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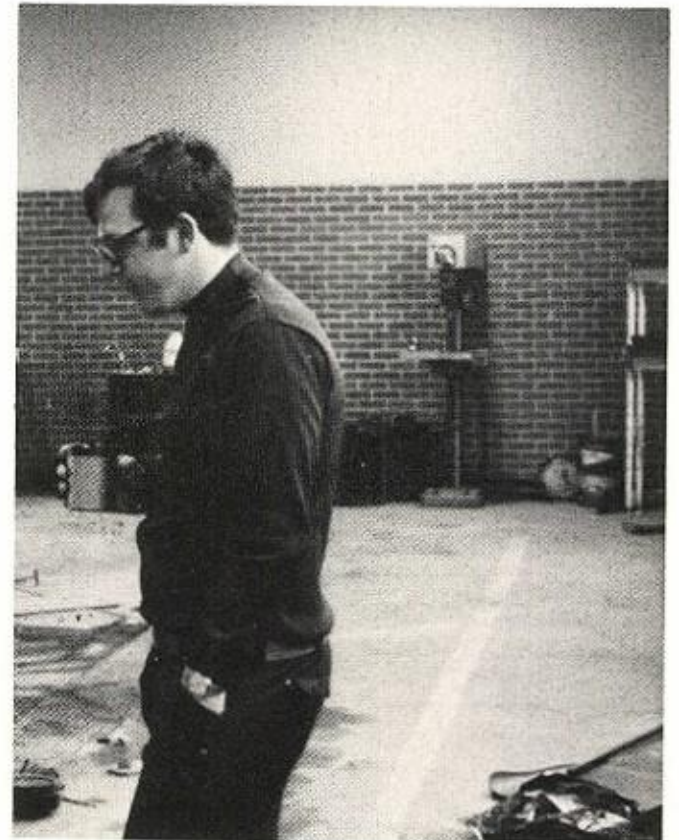
Mr. Brock took over the helm as the new auto mechanics teacher.

Randy Camp works on the engine of his car.

Mr. Brock closely inspects the work of his mechanics.

Benny Chrisner and Sam Robertson check for a worn part on an old engine.

Sam Robertson removes the carburetor from an engine.



THE LAIR

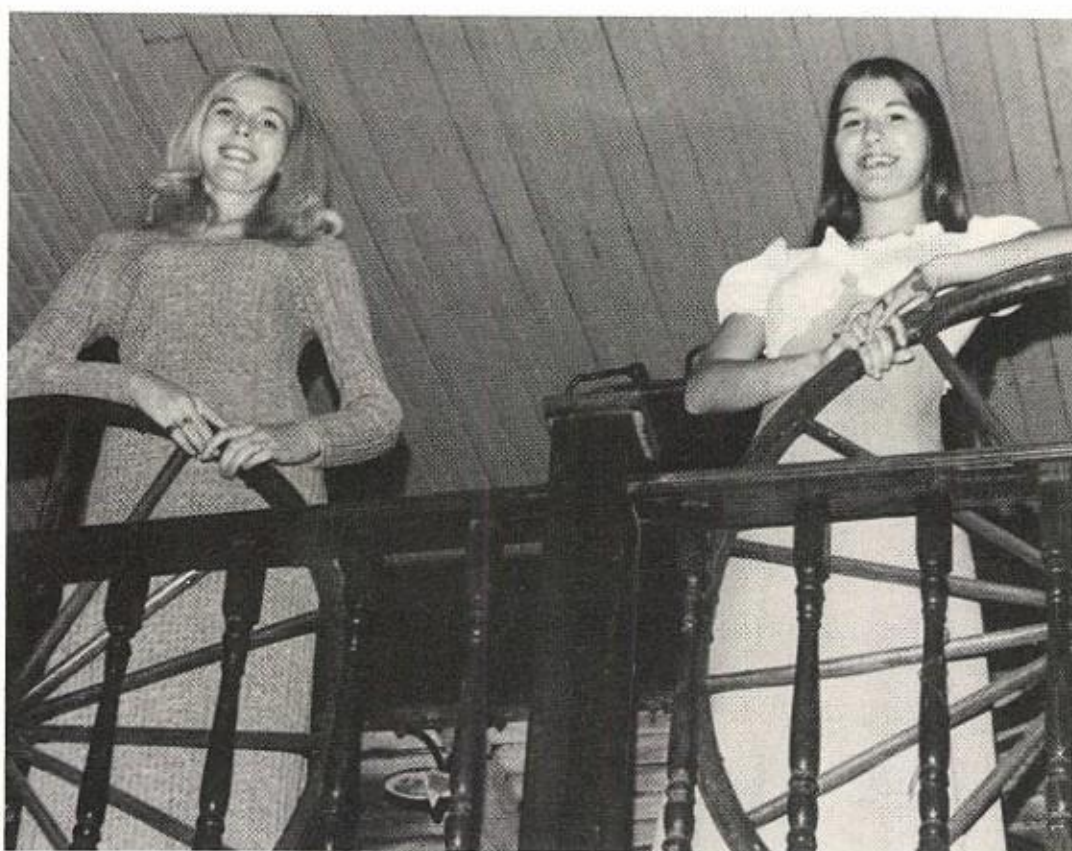


Mrs. Gertrude York, Financial Sponsor, enjoys a free shoe shine from Mrs. Maxine Smithson, LAIR Sponsor.

Dallas Tiner, an honorary member of the LAIR staff, enjoys his refreshing drink for the evening.

Dana Floyd was the editor for this year's LAIR.

Elvin Tomlinson has become an adopted member of the LAIR staff.



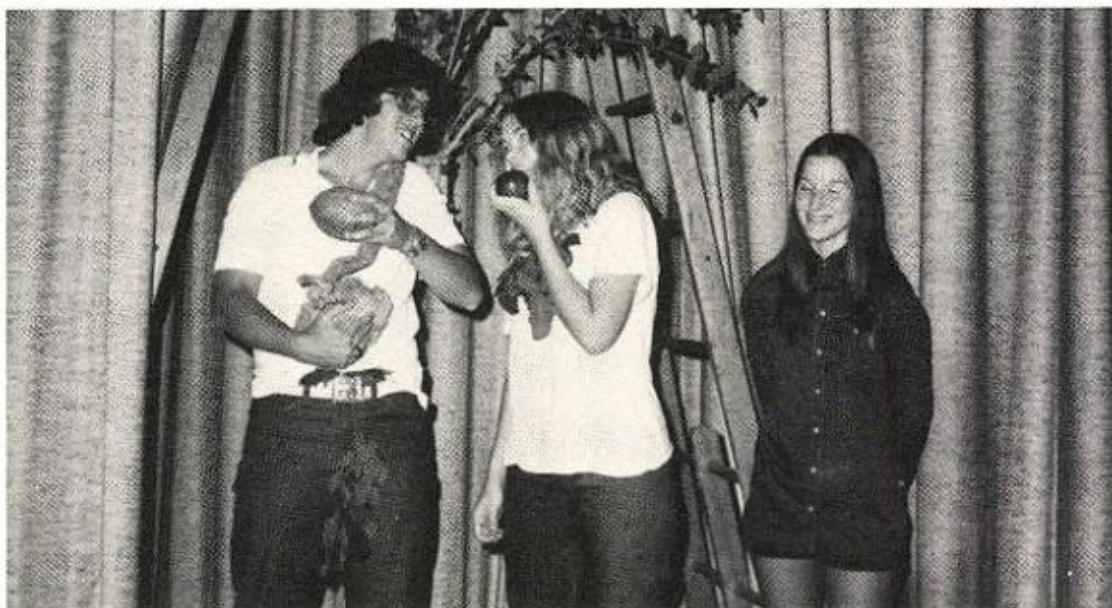
This year's Business Manager was Ronnie Maddux. He was in charge of Advertisement and U.I.L. sections.

Mary Jo Burson was Organization Editor with Teresa Stark and David Coufal (not pictured) as her assistants.

Dana Floyd presents Mrs. York a gift of appreciation for her many years of work with THE LAIR.

Mrs. Smithson looks on as Mr. and Mrs. York admire the silver platter given them by the Annual Staff.

Brenda Benskin sang "The Way We Were", the 1975 Senior Class Song, at the Annual Staff Assembly.



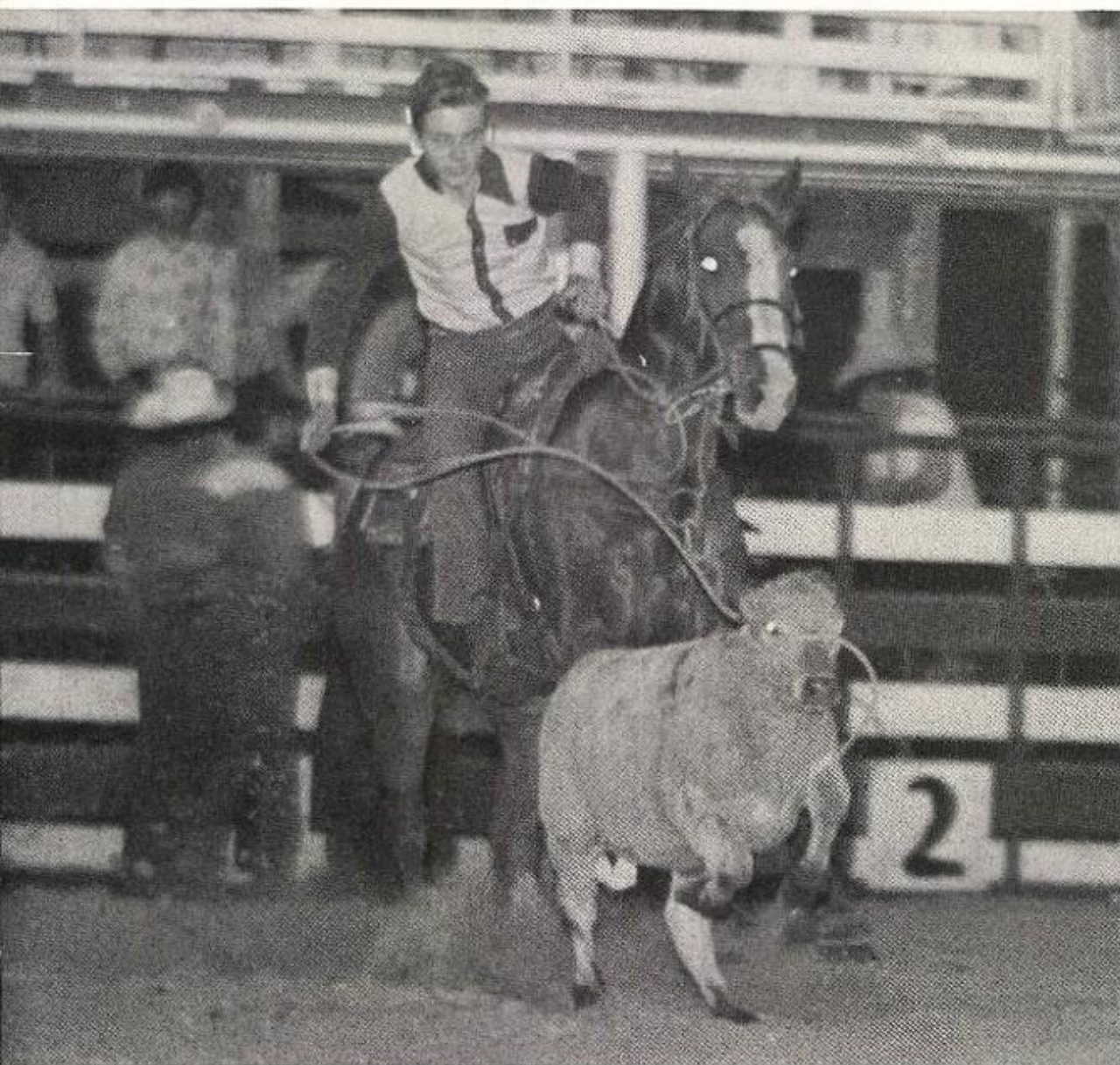
Estelline Miller and Kay Nichols were this year's Sports Editors.

Academic Editor was Jean Blair.

Sue Bartlett was Class Editor with Liz Smith as her assistant.

Some members of the staff take time out at a party for a glass of tea in old Mason fruit jars.

Adam, Eve, and the snake did a hilarious skit at the Annual Assembly.



RODEO CLUB

Bill Lewis participated in the calf roping event in the Belton Rodeo.

Debbie Butler hazes for Tina Ellis, while she attempts to undecorate the steer.

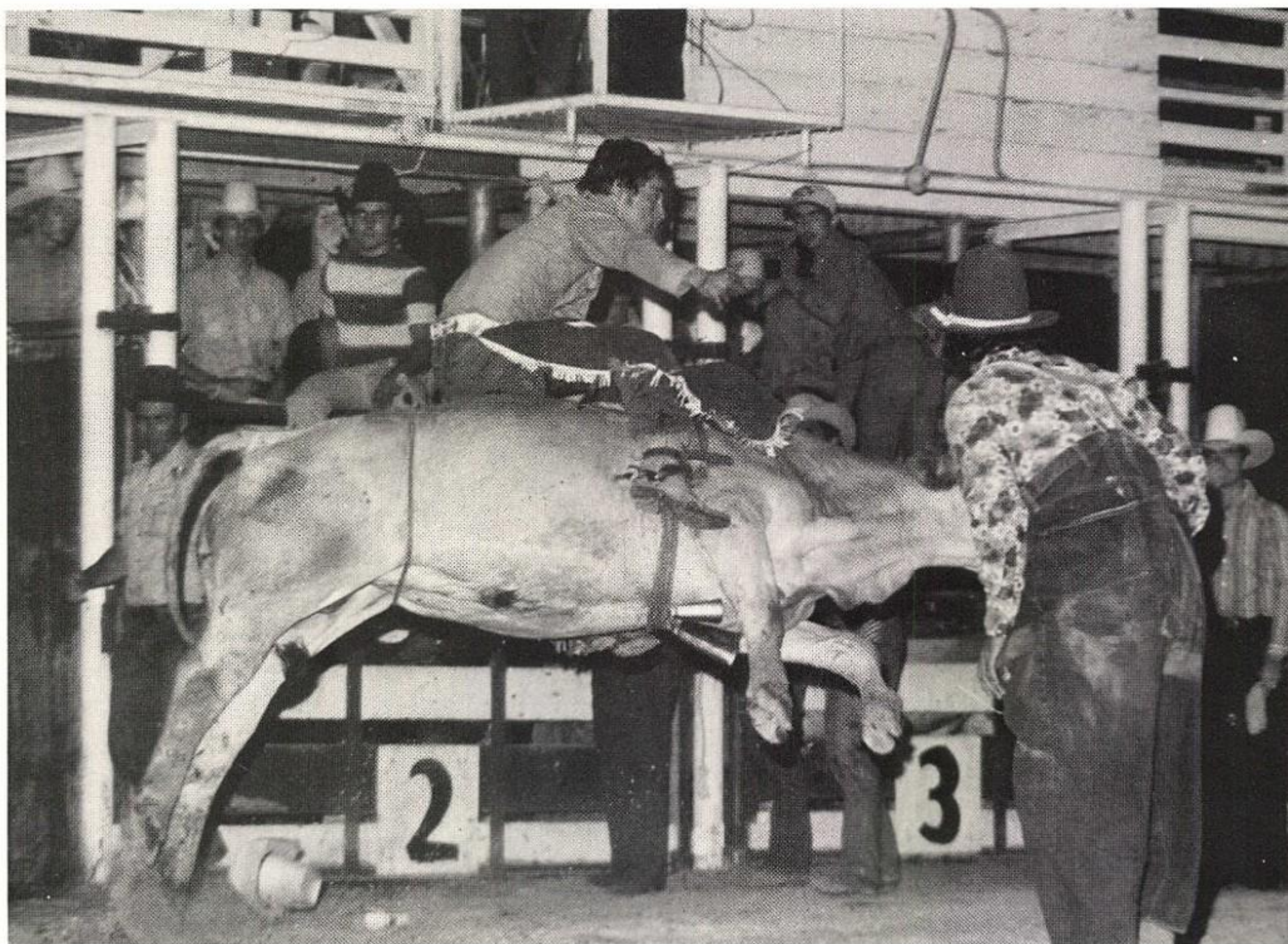
Debbie received the All Around Cowgirl of the Belton Rodeo and a \$50 scholarship from the Rodeo Club.



Chris Norman participated in the bull riding event in the Belton Rodeo.

Bobby Colacino was first in the bull riding event at the Belton Rodeo.

This year was the first year Belton High had its own rodeo and it was very successful!





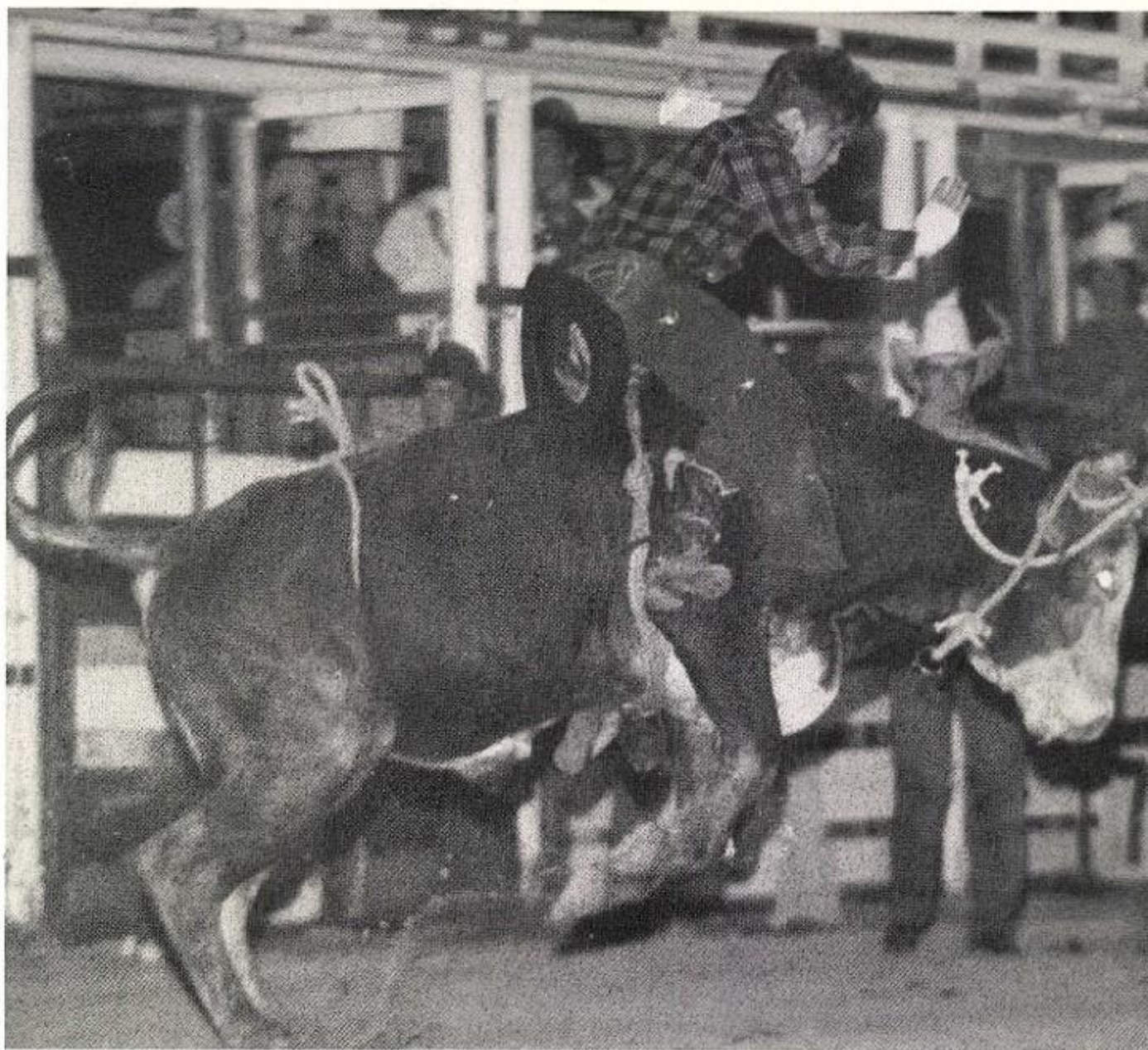
Marsha Butler hazes for a friend in the Belton Rodeo.

Bill Wilson atop his bull rode the qualifying ride.



Roy Brantley loses his hat while he rides his bull in the Belton Rodeo.

Roy Heartfield digs in his heels for support in throwing his steer, while Mike Randolph, a former BHS student, looks on.



FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA BELTON CHAPTER



The officers of the Belton Chapter of Future Farmers of America are as follows: Roy Heartfield—President, David Coufal—Secretary, James Fincher—Vice-President, Roy Brantley—Reporter, Otis Welch—Treasurer, Ernest Brenek—Sentinel.

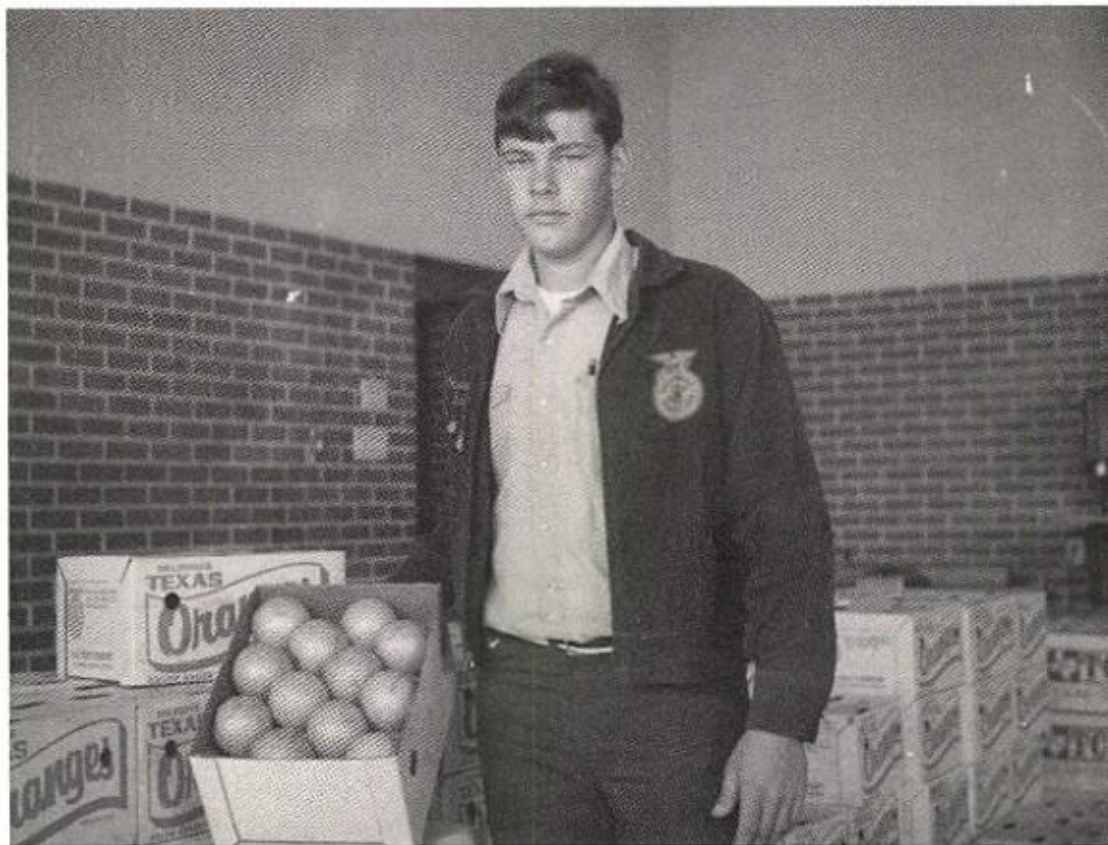
Pictured with the officers is Mayor Bucky Wilson proclaiming it National FFA Week.



James Fincher with his Lone Star Farmer degree.

This year's FFA Sweetheart was Teresa Stark. Teresa was also District Sweetheart and participated in area.

Richard Seiter with a sample box of fruit which was sold for a money making project by the FFA.





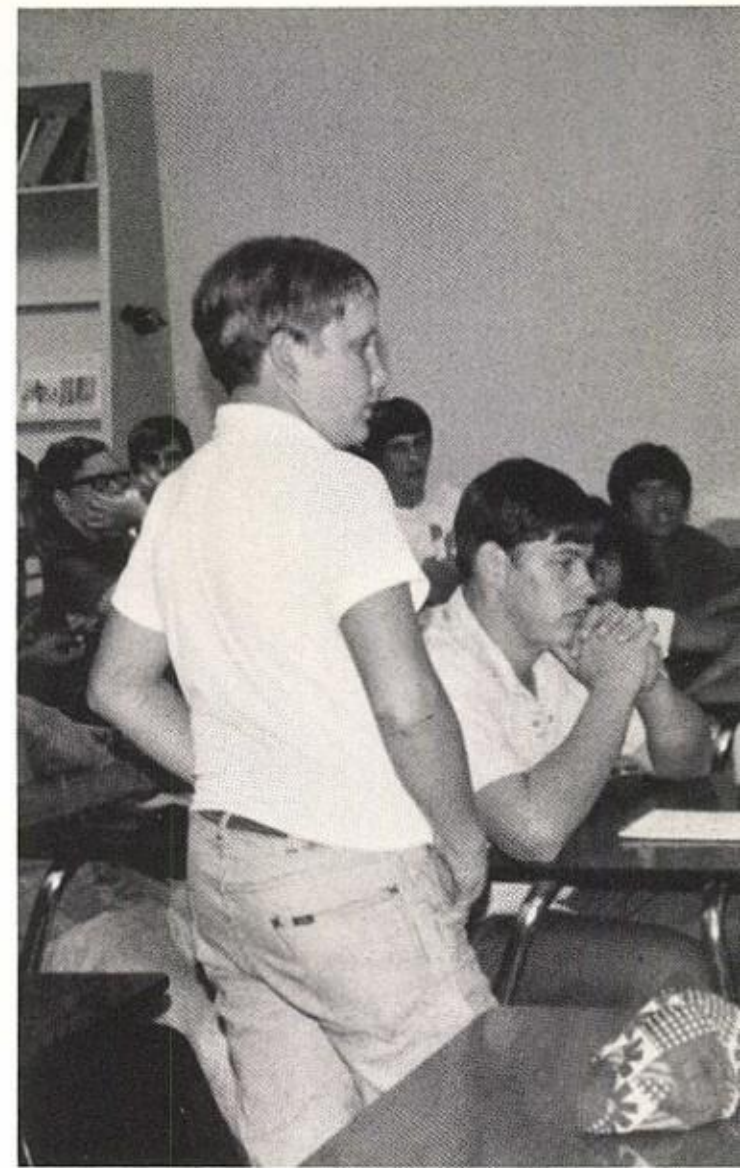
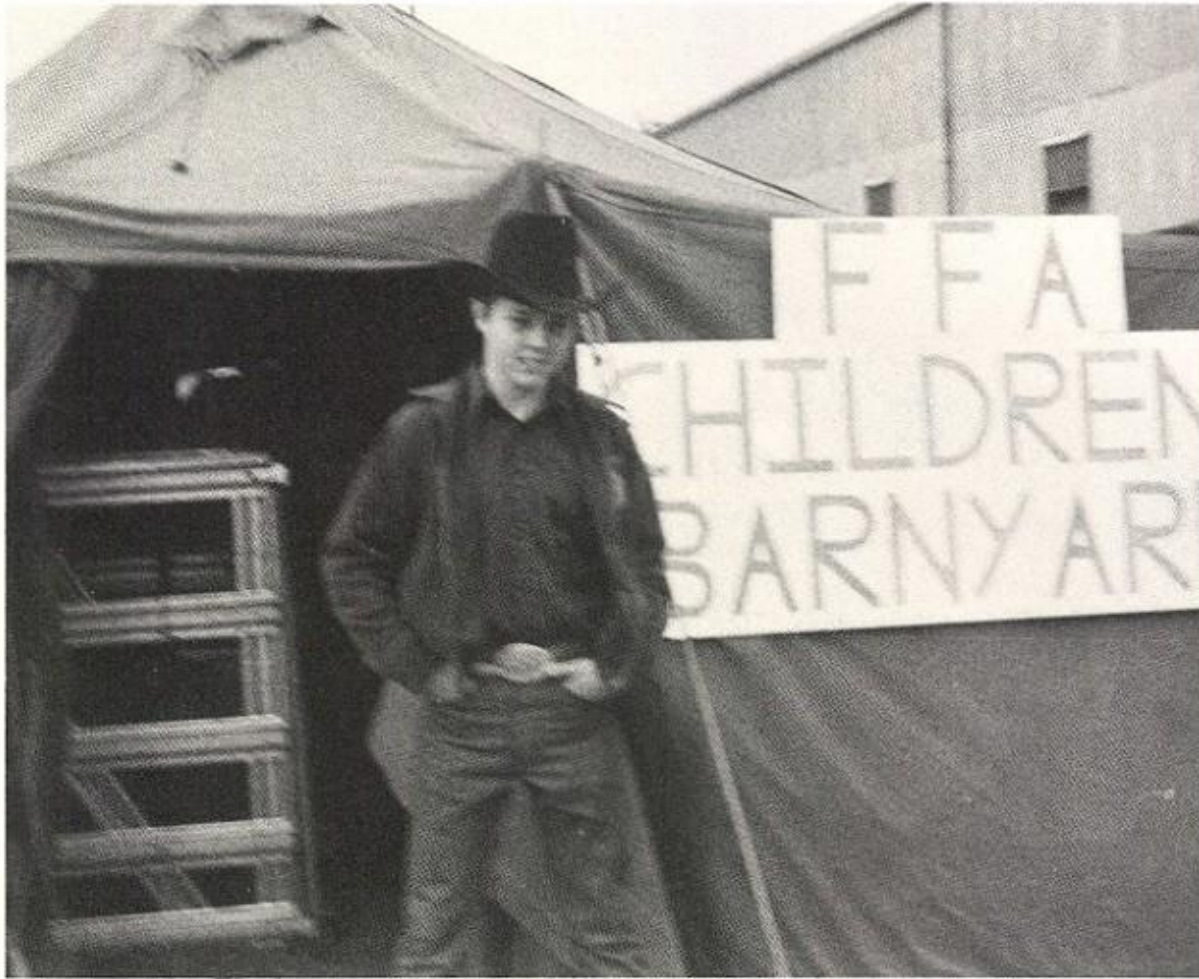
A busy scene during the Temple Livestock Show.

Roy Heartfield presents certificates to team members at the FFA Banquet.

Show box built by AG I.

Demonstration given to Ag II on welding.





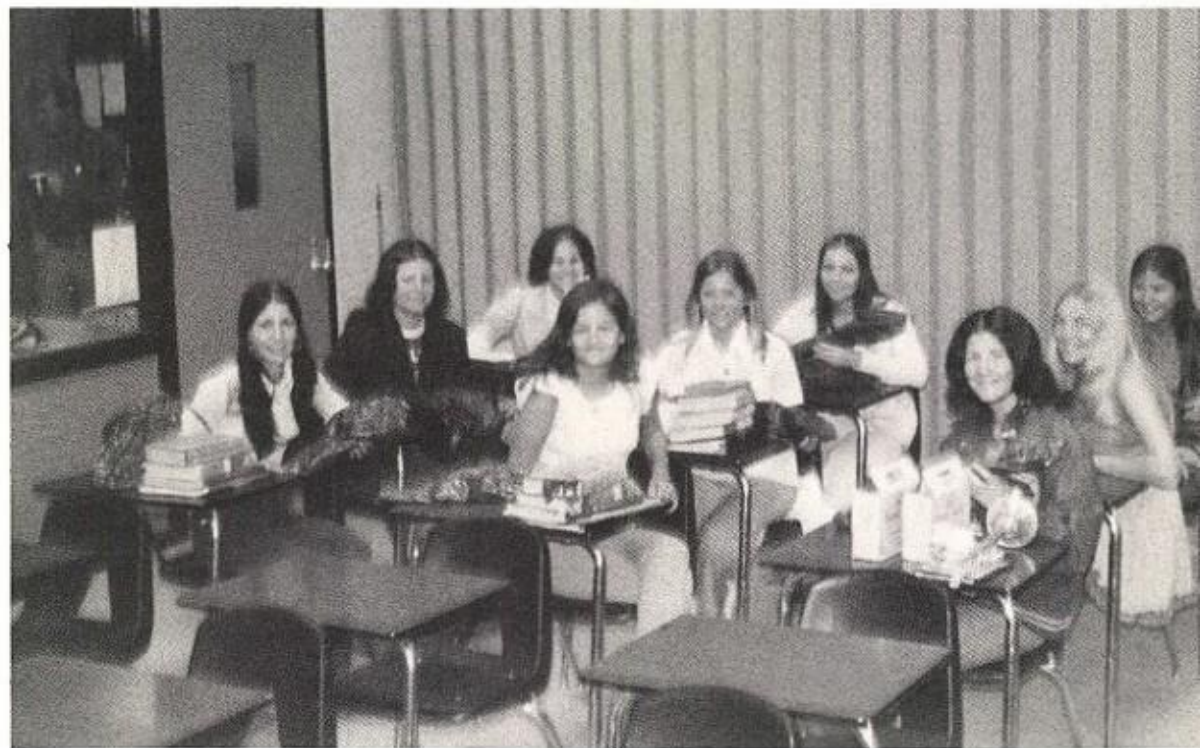
Bill Lewis takes charge of the Children's Barnyard at the Temple Livestock Show.

William Tomecek leads a discussion at a regular meeting.

These nine young ladies were candidates for FFA Sweetheart.

Mr. Huey's Parks and Wildlife class fiberglasses a boat.

Members of Belton Young Farmers relax after a meeting.



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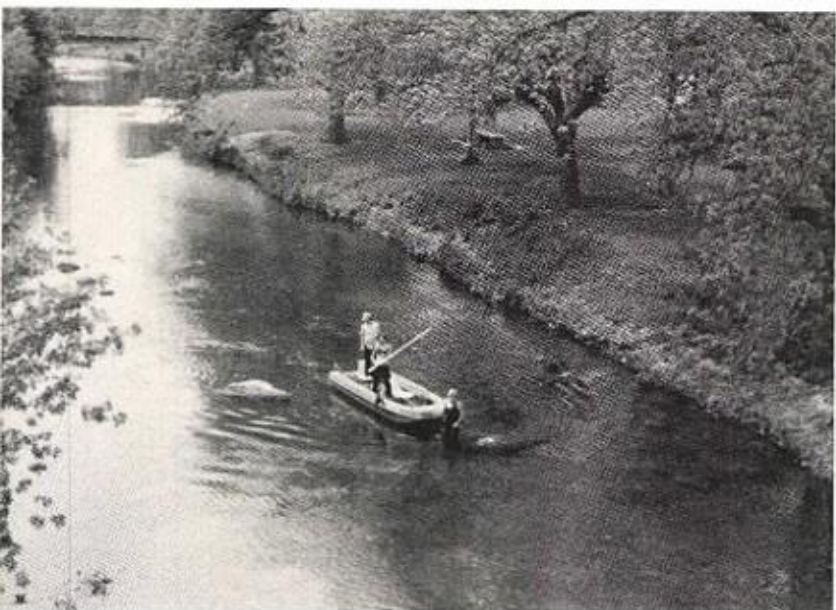
Building Our American Communities



Students take a break while cleaning the park.

The cleaning of Nolan Creek was very successful and something that the whole community can take pride in.

Belton was first in BOAC in area eight.



Chapter Conducting Team: Coufal, Tomecek, Brantley, Northam, and Welch.

Farm Skills Team: McQueen, Hartfield, and Eastridge.

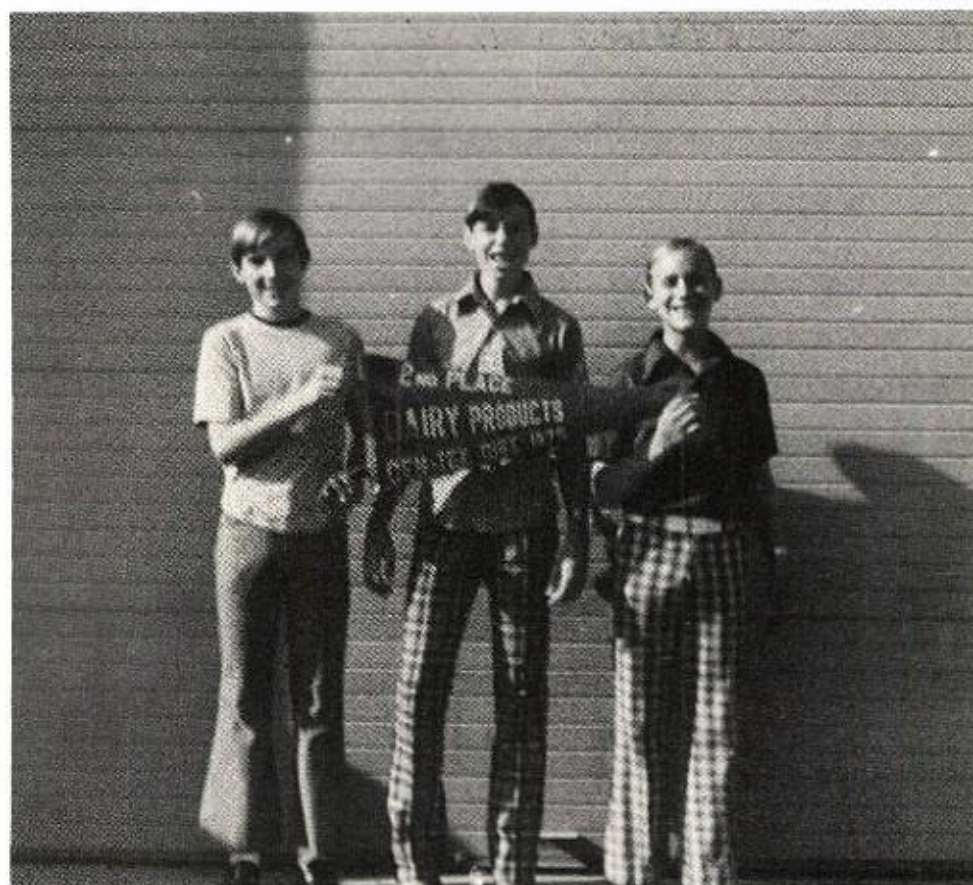
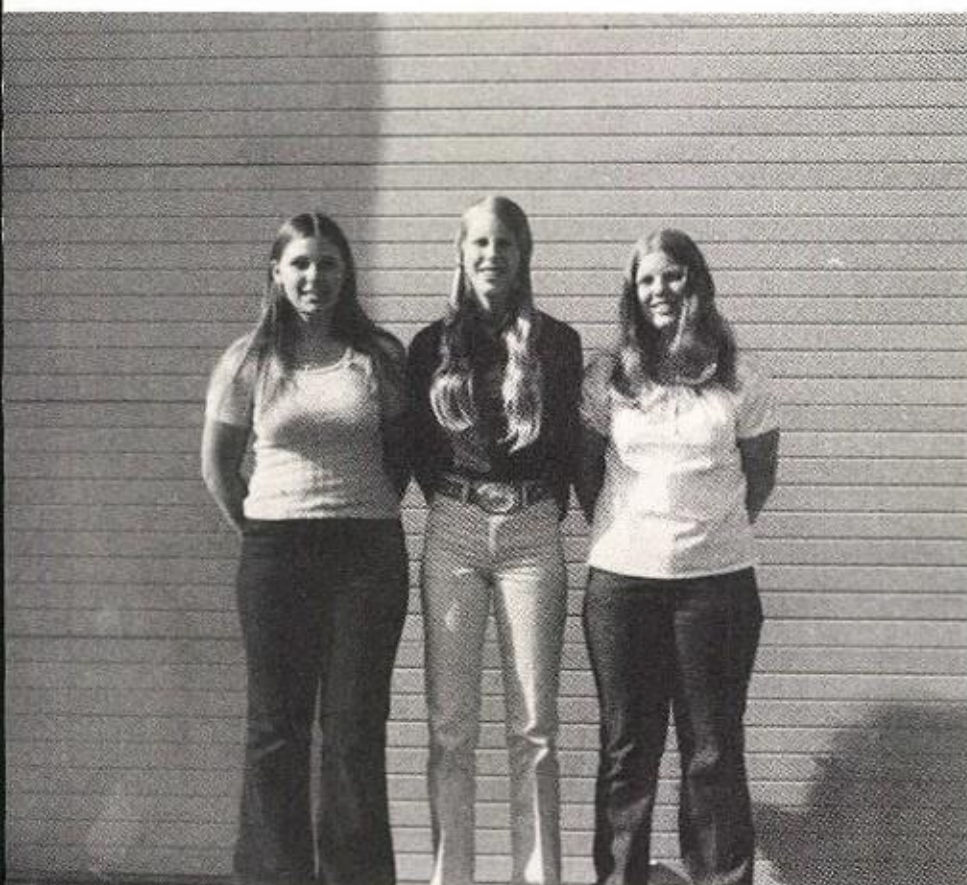
G. H. Chapter Conducting: Ray, Welch, Adv.: Acosta, Tompson, Faglie, Hughes, and Fox.



James Fincher was second in District for Public Speaking.

Members of the Farm Skills for Green Hands were Pustka, Howell, and Townsend.





Farm Radio: Eastridge, Guthrie, Fincher

Horse Judging: Gifford, Ellis

Dairy Judging Houston: Guthrie, Ellis, Hood. Debbie Hood won a dairy heifer.

Dairy Products: Tompson, Hughes, Fox.

Livestock Judging: Brenek, Heartfield, Coufal and Brown.

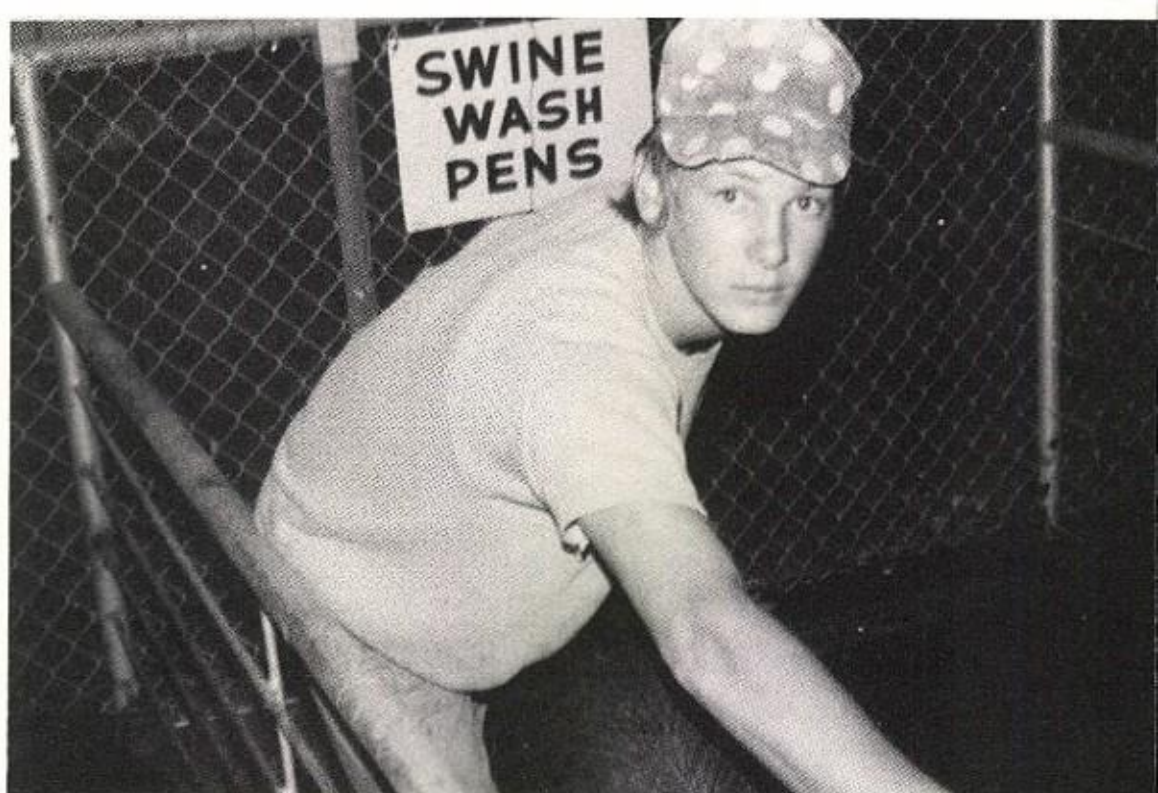
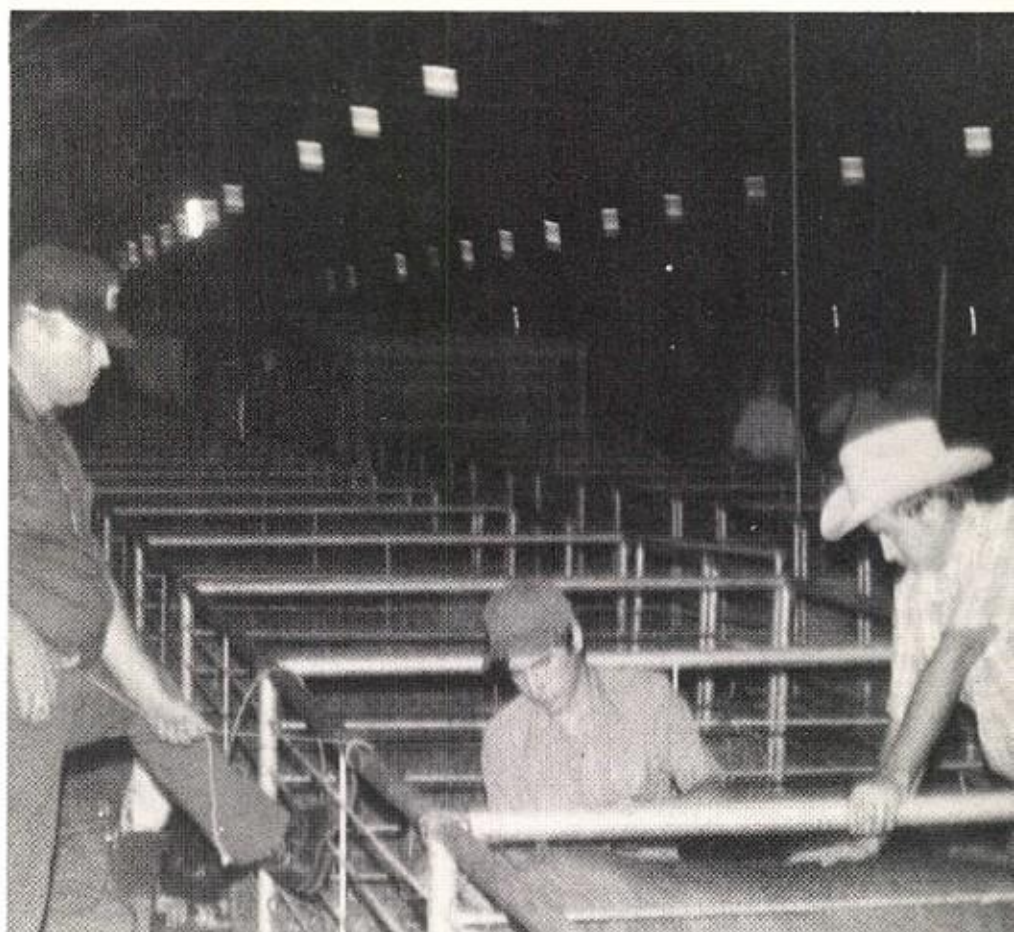
Otis Welch clips gilt for the Waco Show.

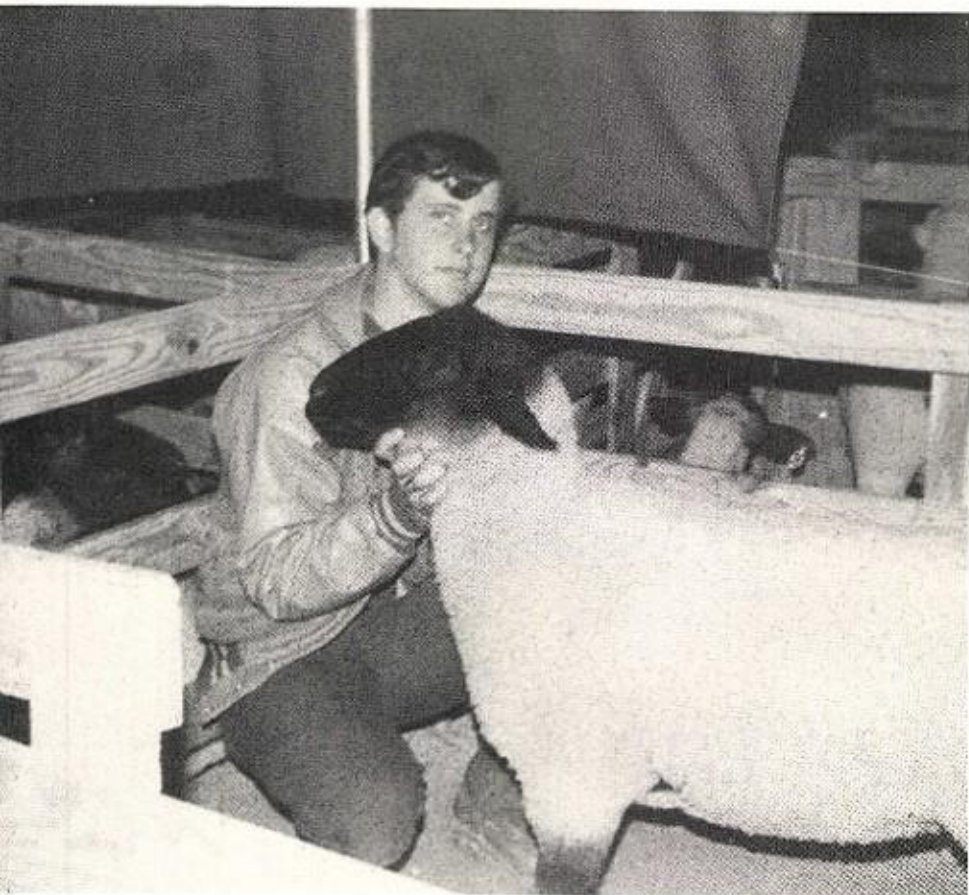
David Jones trims his Suffolk ewe for show.

Mr. Welch watches as Mickey Butler washes his calf.

Ag I-II built a stock trailer for sale and a float trailer for the Chamber of Commerce.

David Coufal was caught by surprise while grooming his gilt at the Waco Show.





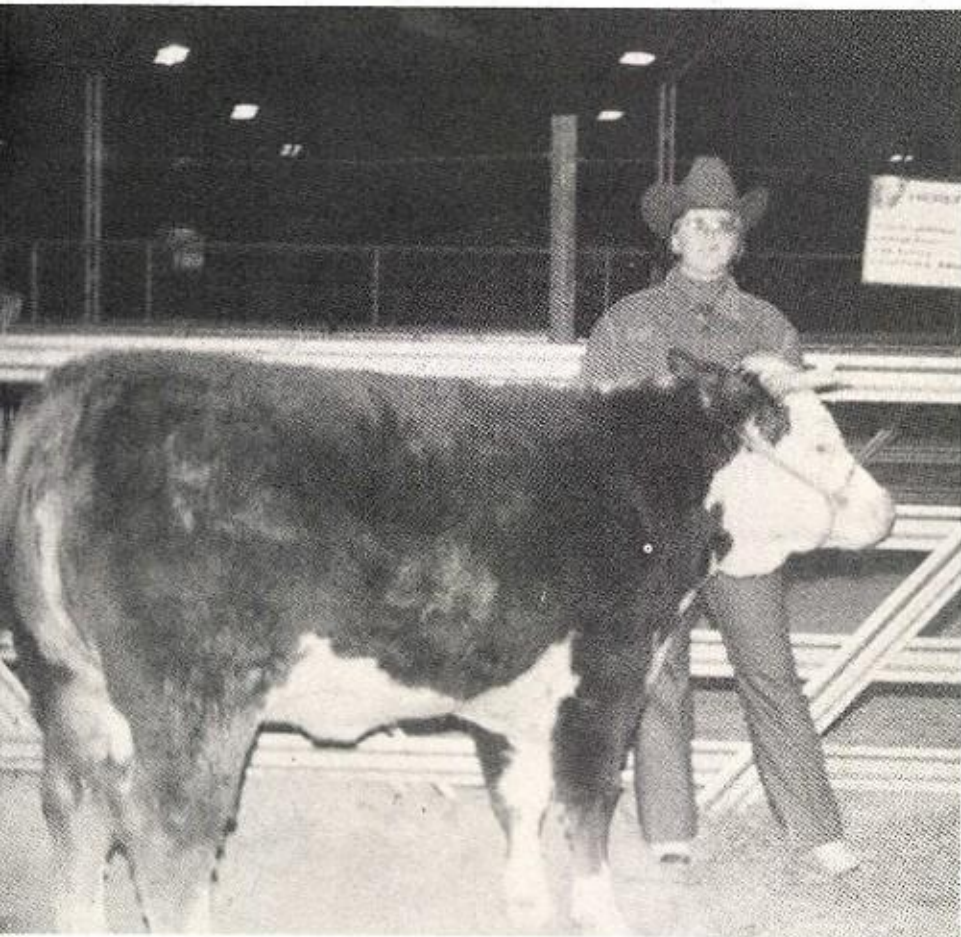
Tim Sullivan displays his champion Suffolk ewe at the Temple Show.

Susan Froebel with her Hereford heifer at Temple.

Members of the talent team: Northam, Hood, Revetto, and Guthrie.

Otis Welch smiles at the buyer of his 2nd place Angus steer.

Dale McQueen preparing his doe for show.



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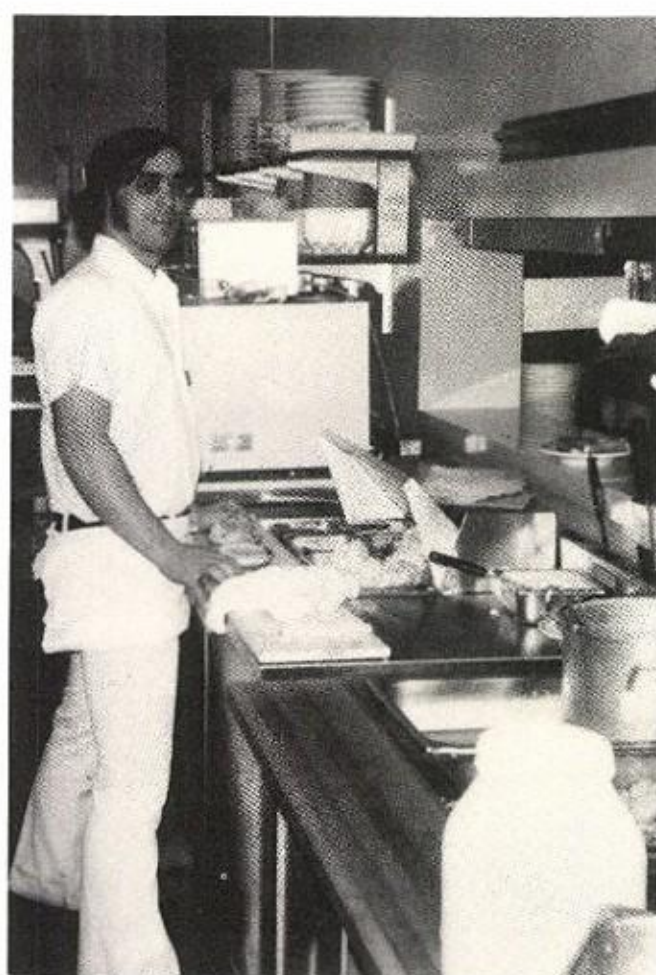
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Ruth Runyon
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Stillhouse Project
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Food Service Employee
Butch's Restaurant

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Inman's Pharmacy

Patty Elkins
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Little John's Restaurant

Mona Duffield
Food Service Employee
Showtown Theaters

Peggy Reynolds
Consumer Aide
Ward's Drugs



VOCATION OFFICE EDUCATION



Officers of the Office Education Association were installed by Leticia Dominguez, past president. They are Pam Phillips, Pres.; Brenda Ben-skin, Scrapbook Chrm.; Leta Dannelly, Treas.; Pam Lundy, VP; Wanda Leach, Sec.; Debra Kallus, Reporter.



Mrs. Shirley Patterson, VOE Teacher and OEA Sponsor

Charles Lott, Vocational Director.



Contestants and winners in Area III Competition for VOE students were: Deborah Kallus, Jody Crumly, Susan Walker, Shirleen Motlock, Peggy Jackson, Gail True, Lila Price, Wanda Leach, Leta Dannelley, Pam Phillips, Brenda Benskin, and Cindy Haddon.



Yvonne Stark, the past MISS OEA, congratulates Leta Dannelley this year's MISS OEA. The annual Bosses Banquet was held at the Ponderosa.



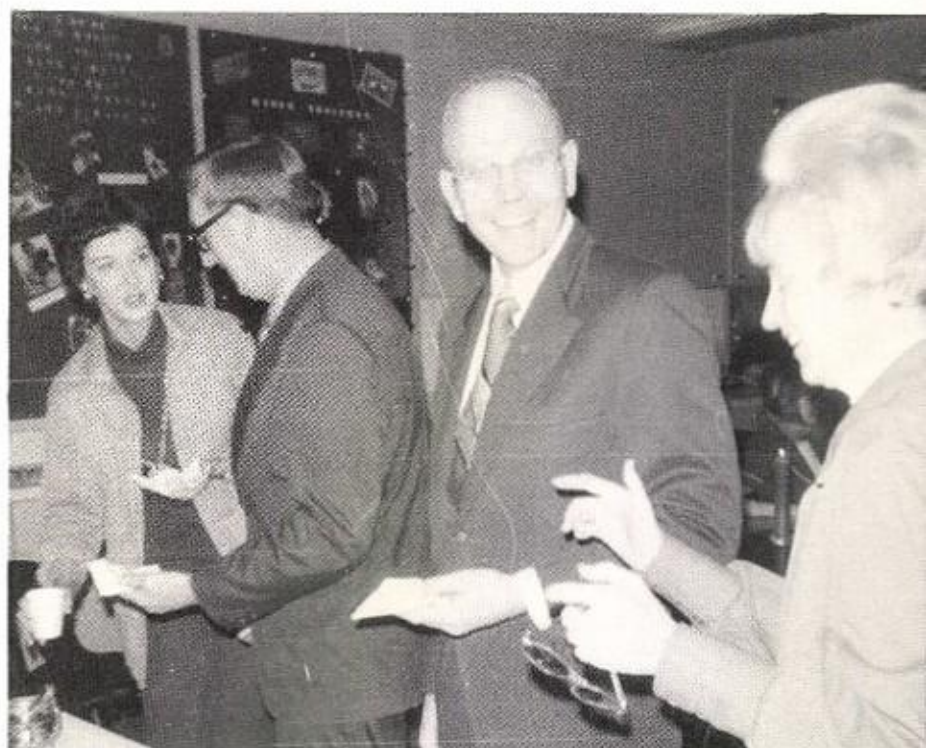
Mrs. Dorothy Potts works hard as our Vocational Counselor.

Pamela Phillips, American Lung Association of Central Texas

Debbie Northcutt, Inman Pharmacy, Belton

Peggy Jackson, Belton Medical and Dental Center

Some of our distinguished guests were being served refreshments at our annual Christmas Coffee.





Cindy McDonald, Bell County Engineer's Office

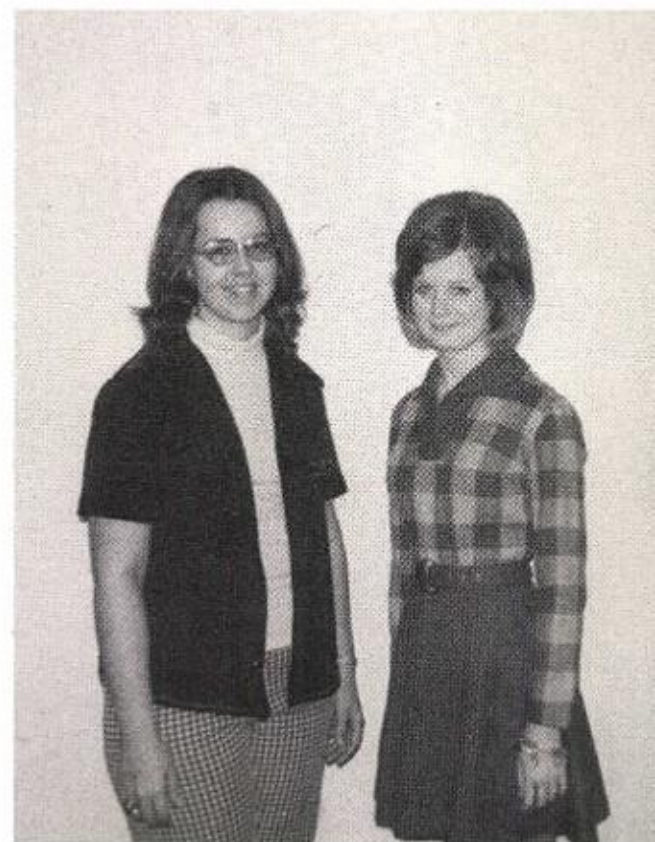
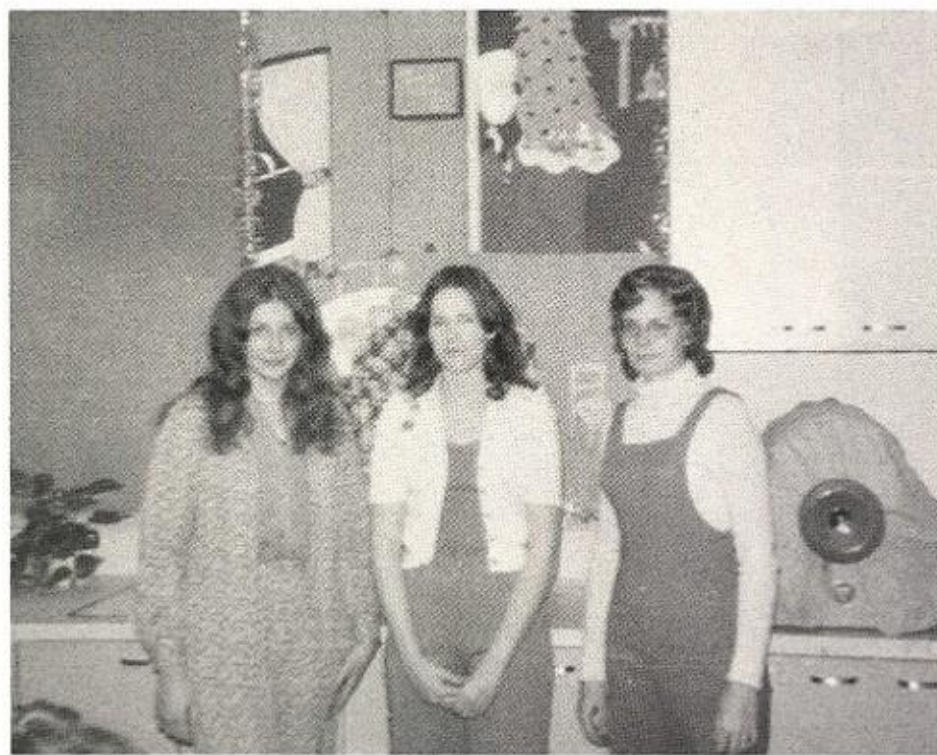
Teresa Bailey, Peoples National Bank

Susan Walker, Bell County District Clerk's Office

Becky Brown, Belton I.S.D. Cafeteria Office

Brenda Benskin, Western Auto





This year's members of the VOE Advisory Committee: Sam Michel, Bell Co. Adult Probation Office; Mrs. Arthur Neale Potts, Sr., Vocational Counselor; Hally Cox, Peoples National Bank; Miss Fran McDonald, American Lung Association of Central Texas; and Mrs. Wayne Carpenter, Belton Medical and Dental Center.

Brenda Benskin, Cindy Haddon and Peggy Jackson pose in front of the Christmas bulletin board they prepared. A group of employers voted this as the first place display in the VOE Dept.

Top sales girls in money making project were Shirleen Motloch and Pam Phillips.



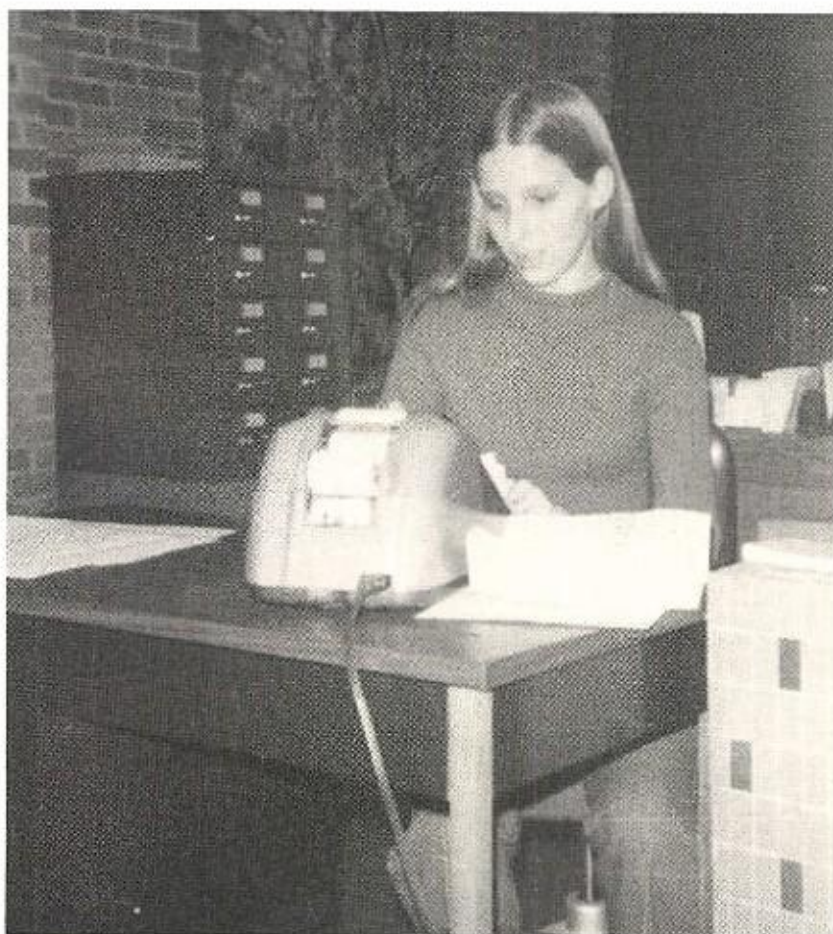
Lila Price, Bell County Adult Probation Office

Cindy Haddon, Potts Bros. Hardware

Cindy McGee, Belton City Hall

Lucinda Ludwick, Law Insurance Agency

Jane Pirtle, Belton I.S.D. and Office.



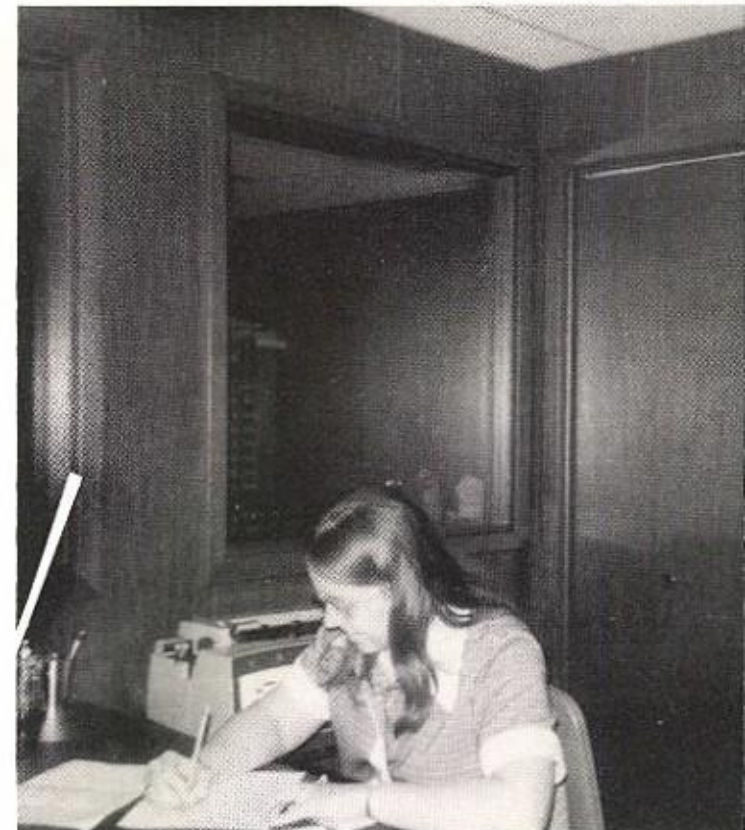
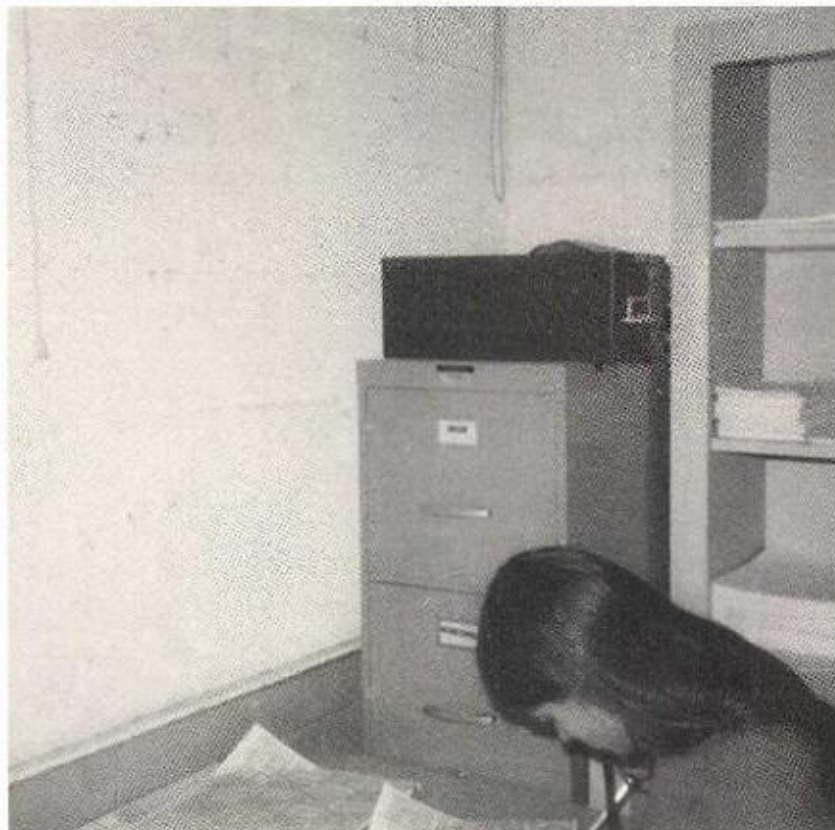
Gail True, Scott and White Hospital

Diane Scott, Inman Pharmacy, Temple

Pam Lundy, Bell County Adult Probation Office

Jody Crumley

Shirleen Motloch, Griggs Equipment, Inc.





A breakfast at River Forest Restaurant honored the VOE Advisory Committee during National OEA Week in February.

Approximately 100 people attended the annual VOE Employer-Employee Appreciation Banquet held in the Ponderosa Banquet Room.

These girls have worked very hard in Mrs. Patterson's VOE Lab program.

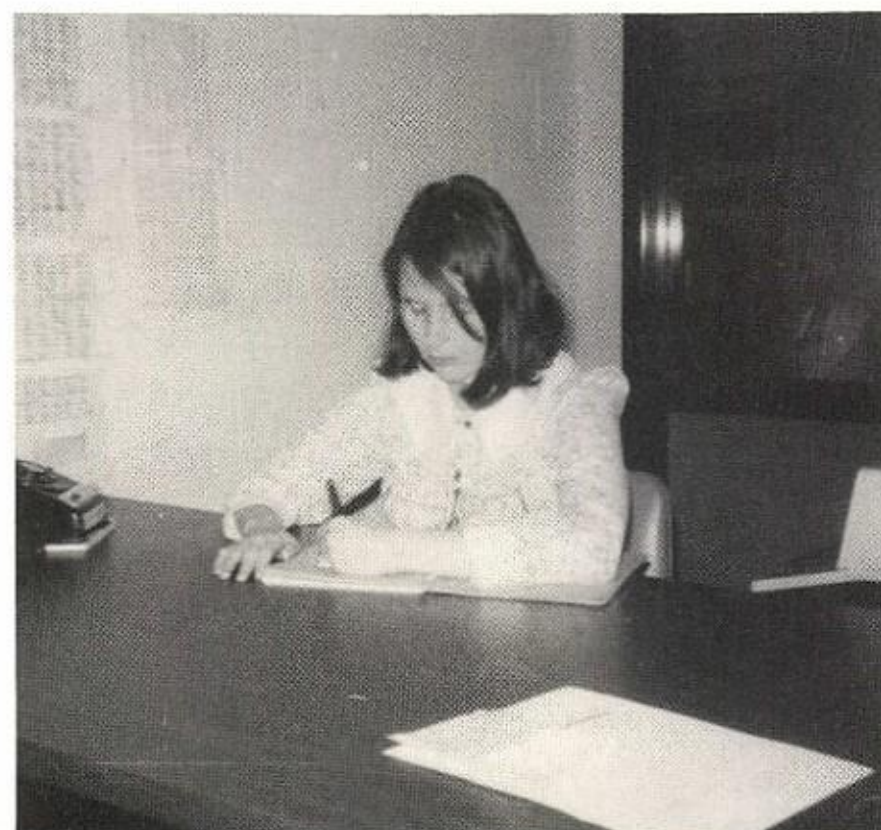
Lorna Brown, VOE Lab

Deborah Kallus, VOE Lab

Roxanne Price, VOE Lab

Elaine Jeffrey, VOE Lab

Jane Minor and Lorna Brown, VOE lab students, donated their time and services to babysit at a meeting of foster parents. This was one community service project of the VOE lab section.





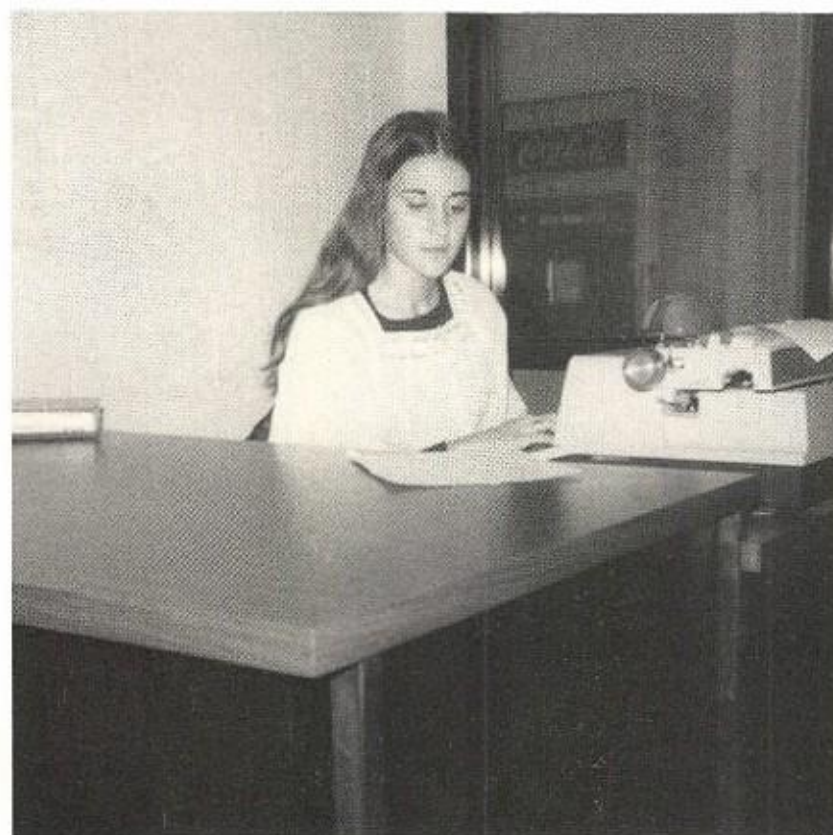
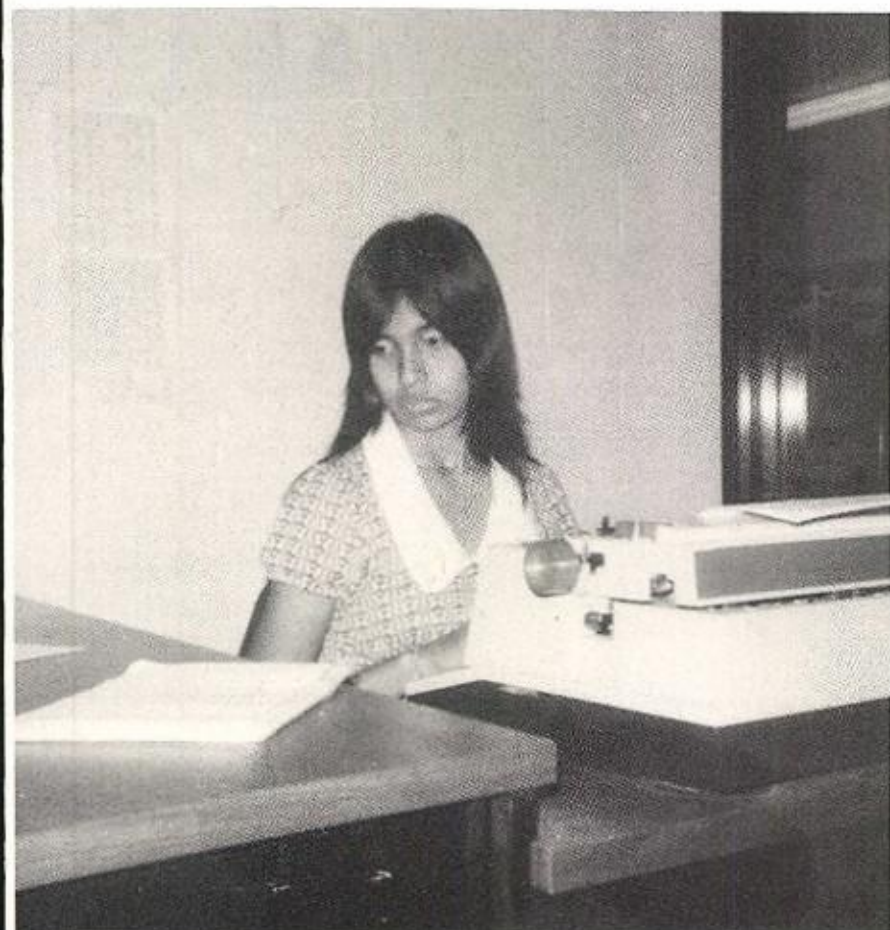
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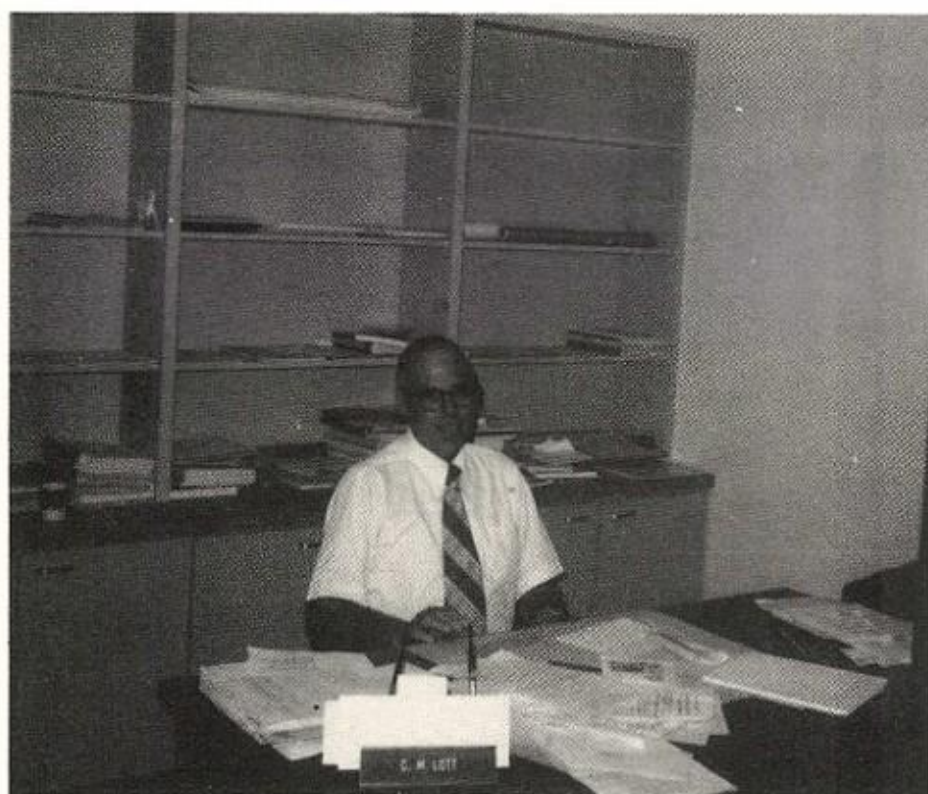
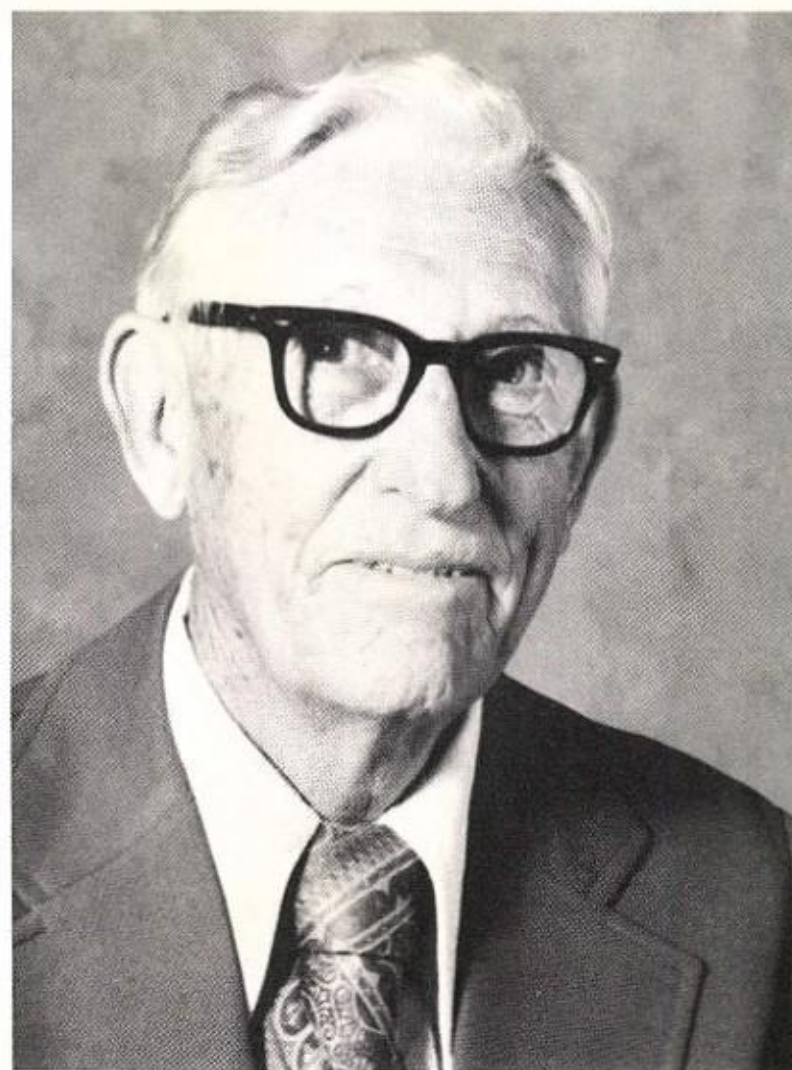


DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION

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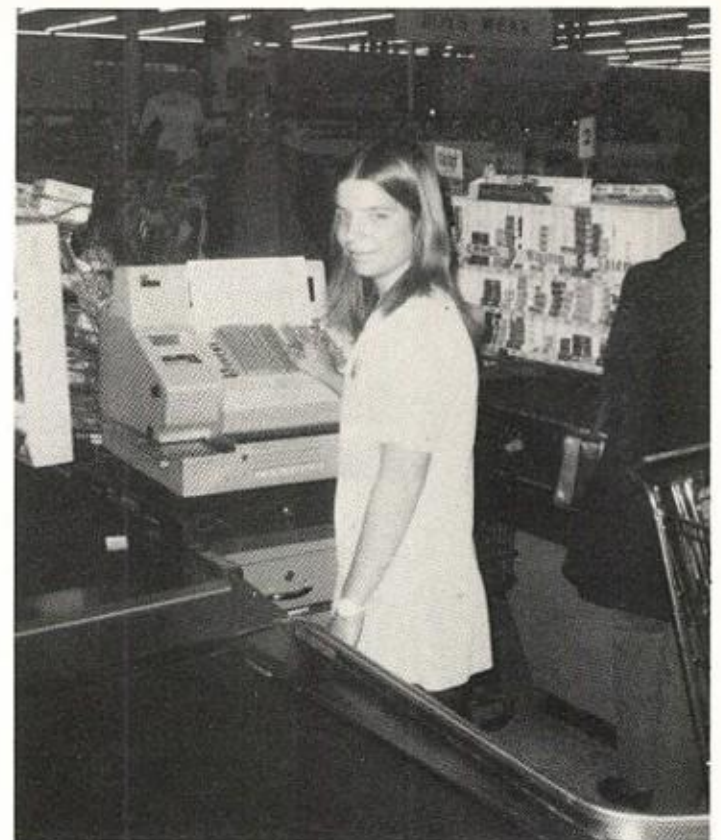
Mr. Lott is the Supervisor of Vocational Programs.

Mrs. Potts is the Vocational Counselor.



Mum sales for Homecoming are the big money maker for D.E. This year's high mum saleswoman was Evelyn Glazener. Steve Housewright was second, with Debbie Butler coming third.





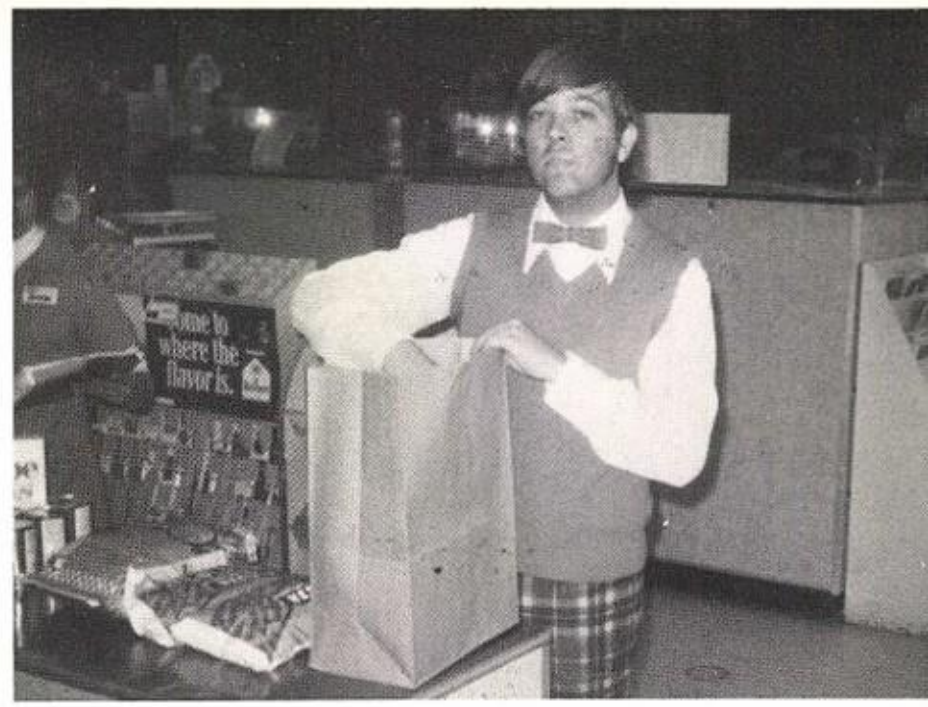
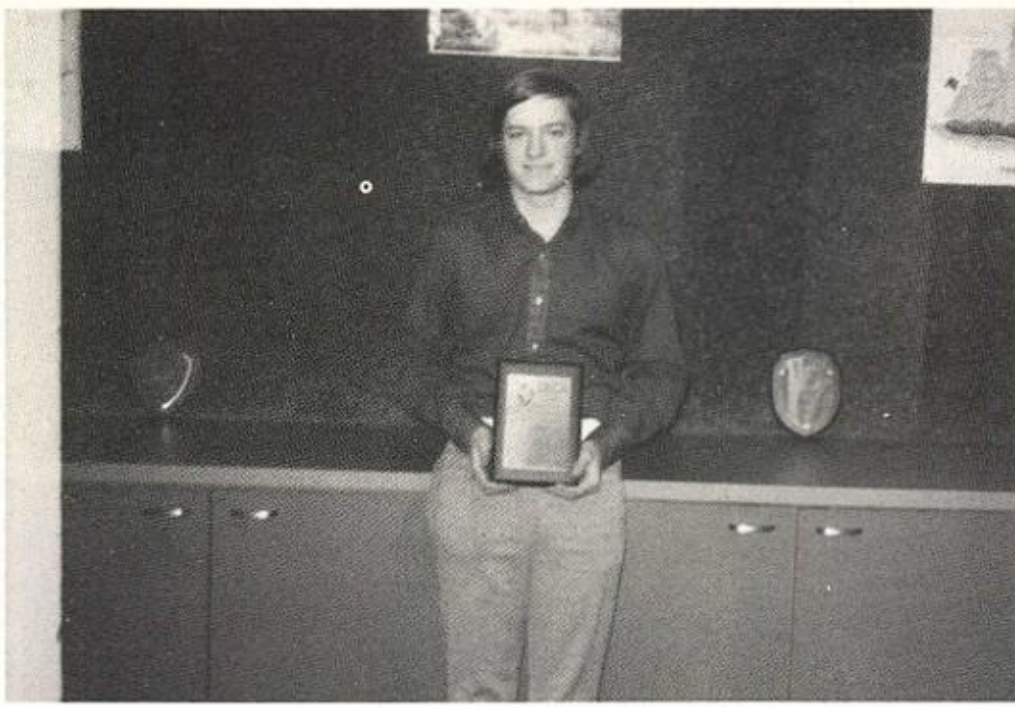
Sylke Hojnaki, Montgomery Wards

Judy Gifford, Krogers

Bobby Colacino, Cochran, Blair & Potts

Tim Alford, Montgomery Wards

Joe Hilliard, H.E.B.



Danny Young proudly shows the award won by the D.E. students for their 2nd place display at area competition.

Daniel Hogan, H.E.B.

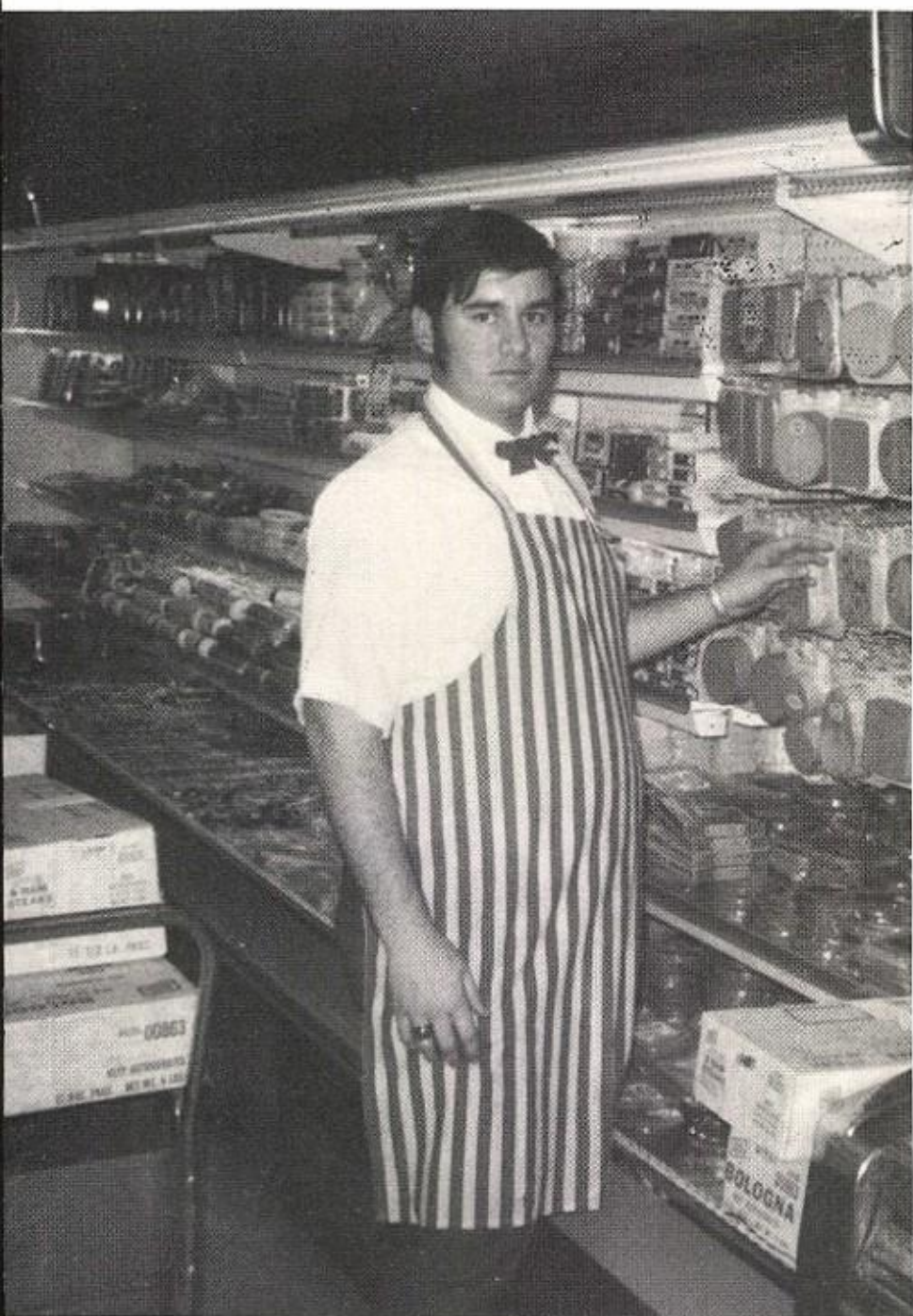
Frank Hotz, Shamrock

Evelyn Glazener, Cochrans

Randy Sinclair, Taco Town

Isabella Schnell, KOA Campgrounds





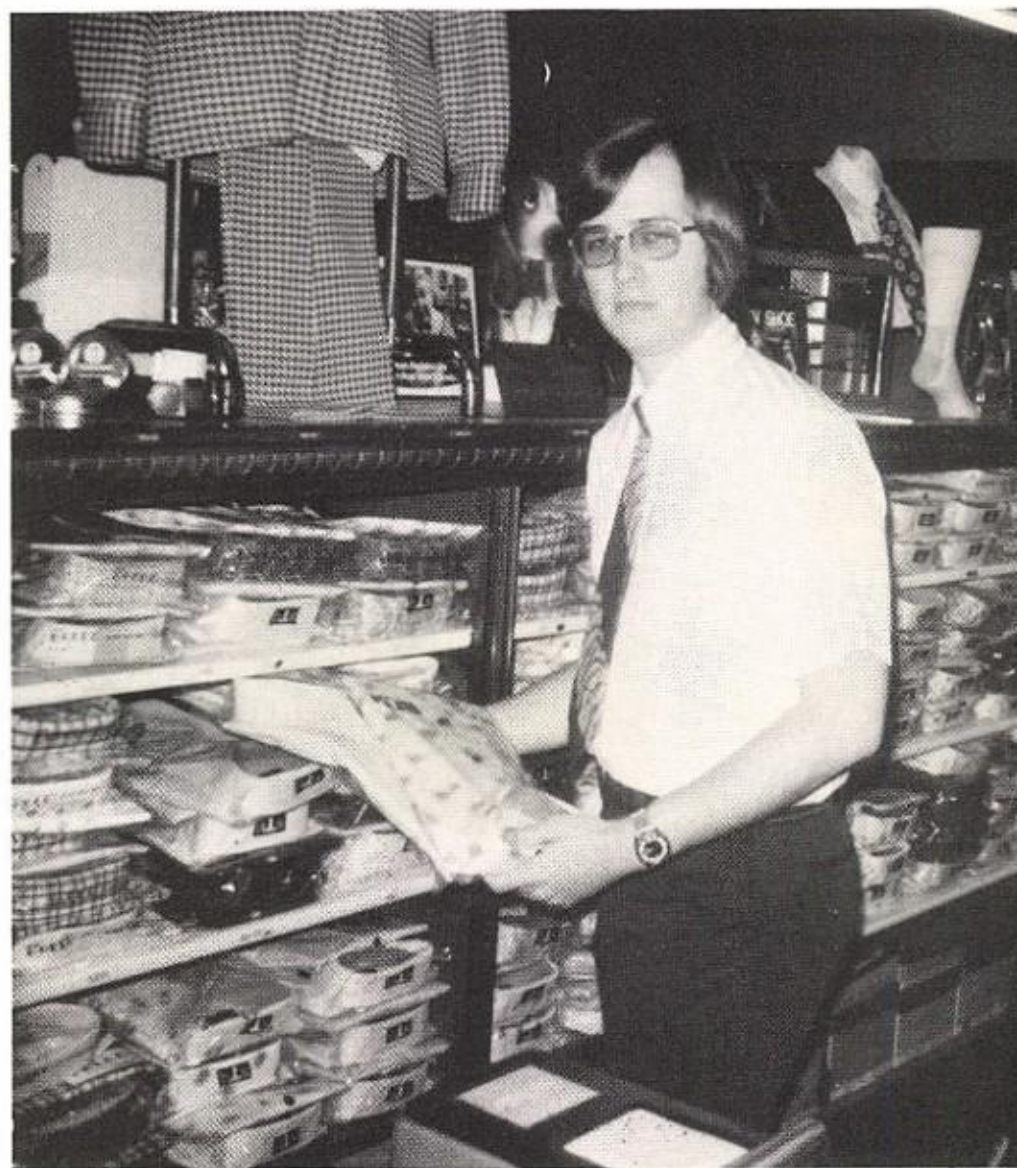
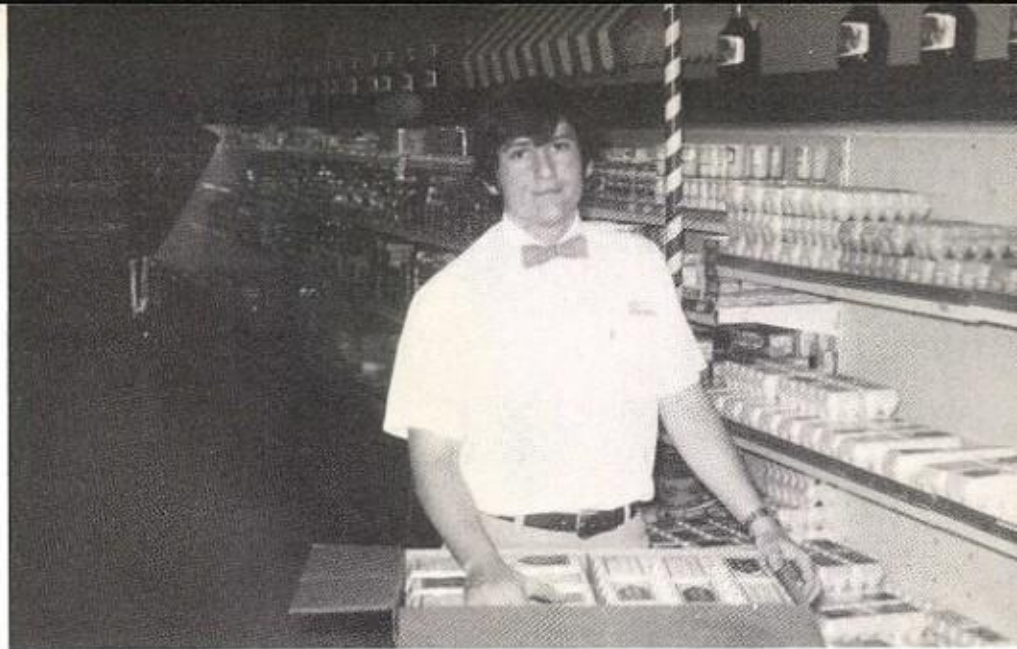
Debbie Butler, B-Bar-D

Danny Wilkerson, Franks Lakeview Inn

Kim Wilhite, Gibson

Fred Churchill, H.E.B.

Donald Reveile, Luby's



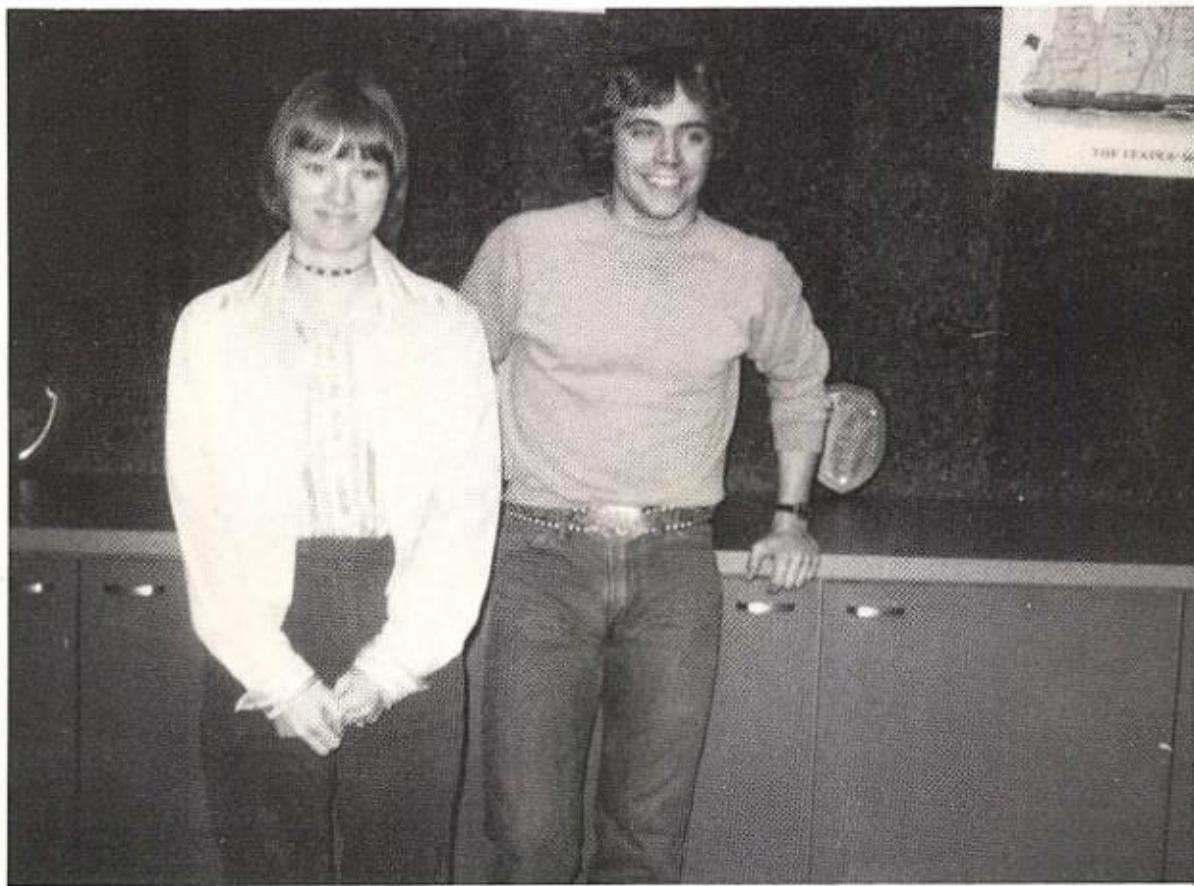
Eddie Guajardo, Piggly Wiggly

Don Shelton, H.E.B.

Steve Housewright, Cochrans

Kay Haynes, Duke & Ayers

Evelyn and Bobby had a very outstanding year in the Distributive Education program. They were both elected as voting delegates to the conventions attended.





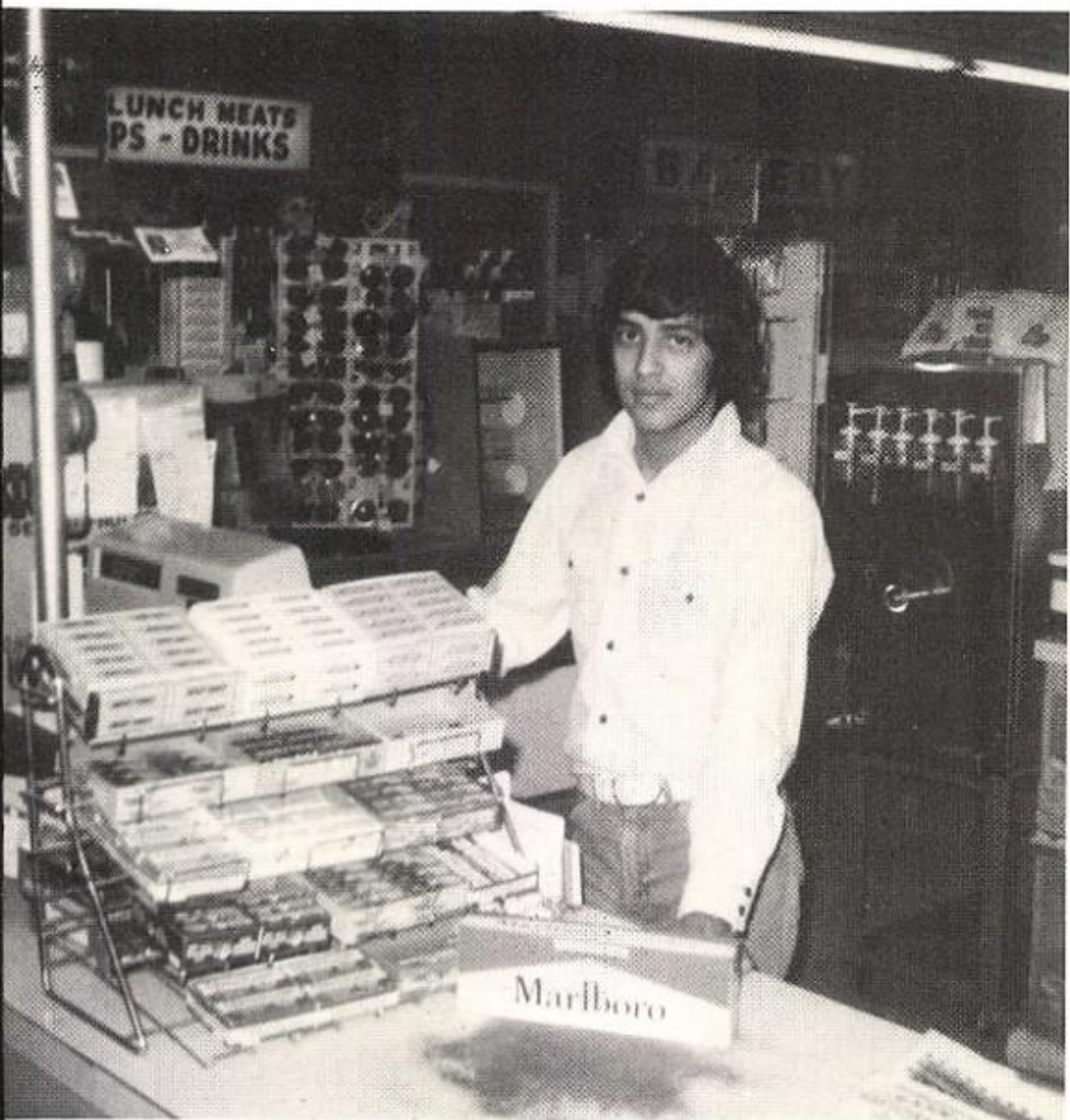
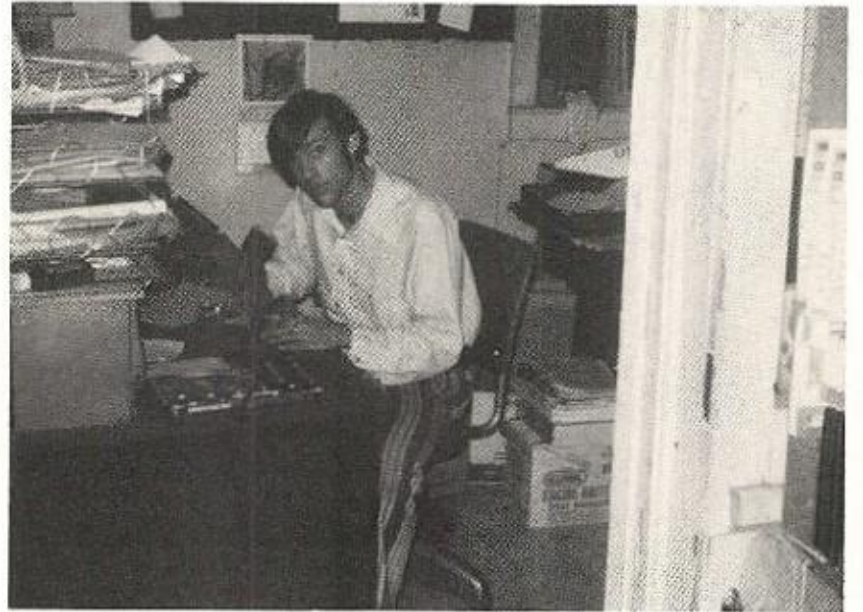
William Oglesby, Woolco

Keith Finney, Duke & Ayers

Howard Dermody, Bell Discount Auto

Ricky Ruiz, Belton Drive-In

Sue Giles, H.E.B.



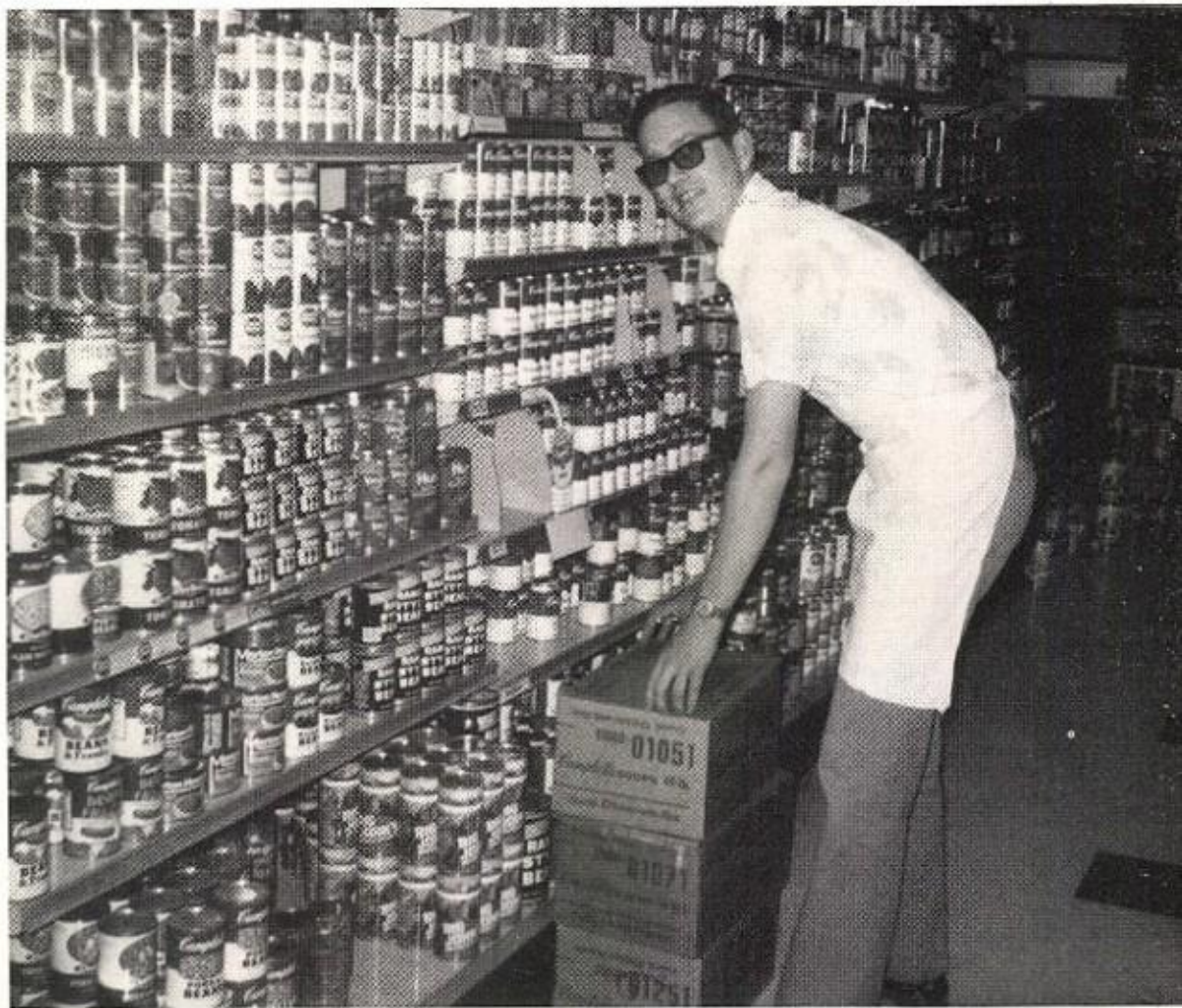
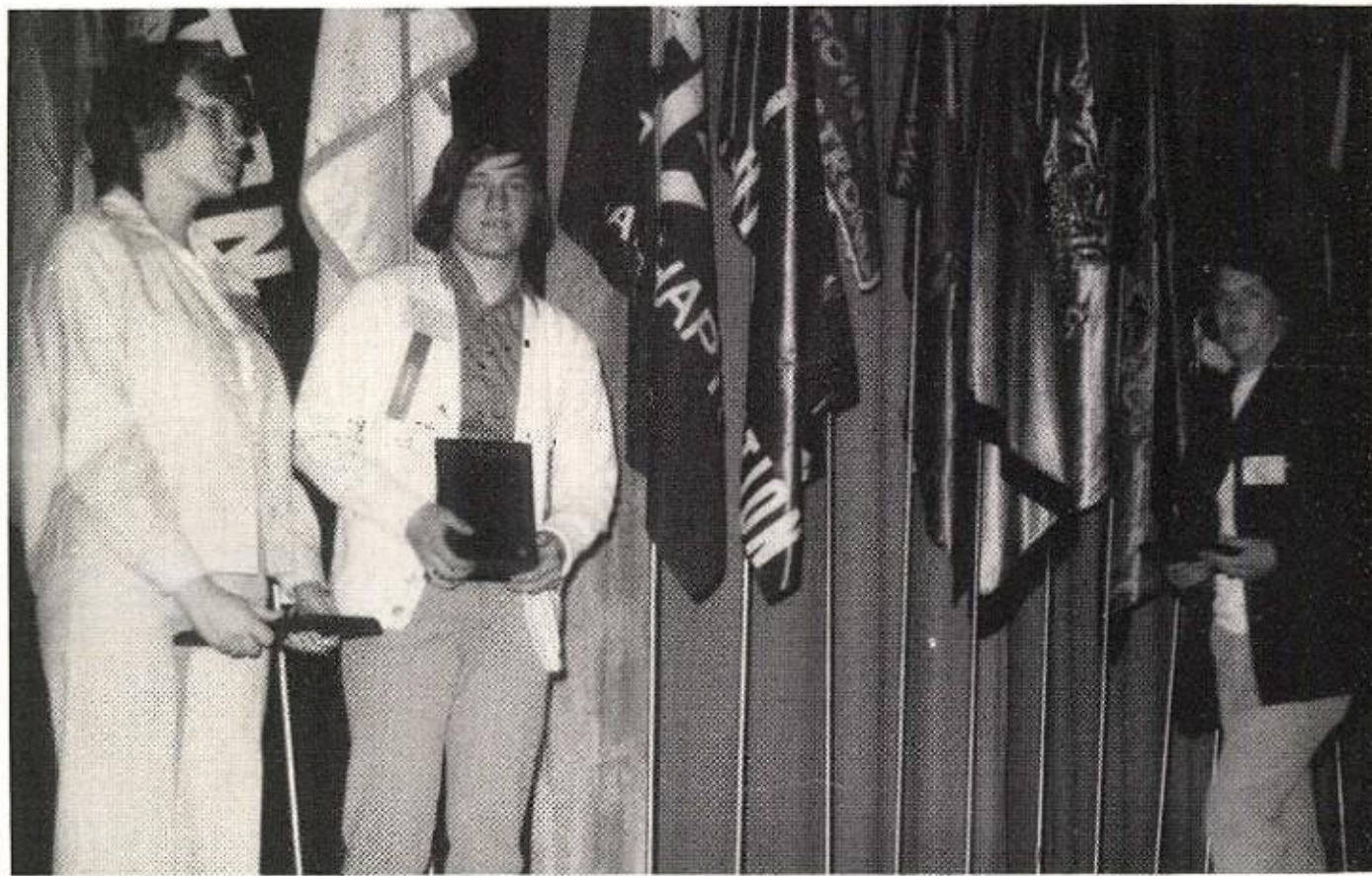
Danny Young, Minimax

Edmond Reynolds, Minimax

Danny receives the second place award for Area Display.

Benny Hicks, Robert Taylor Gro.

James Woods, Smiths Red & White



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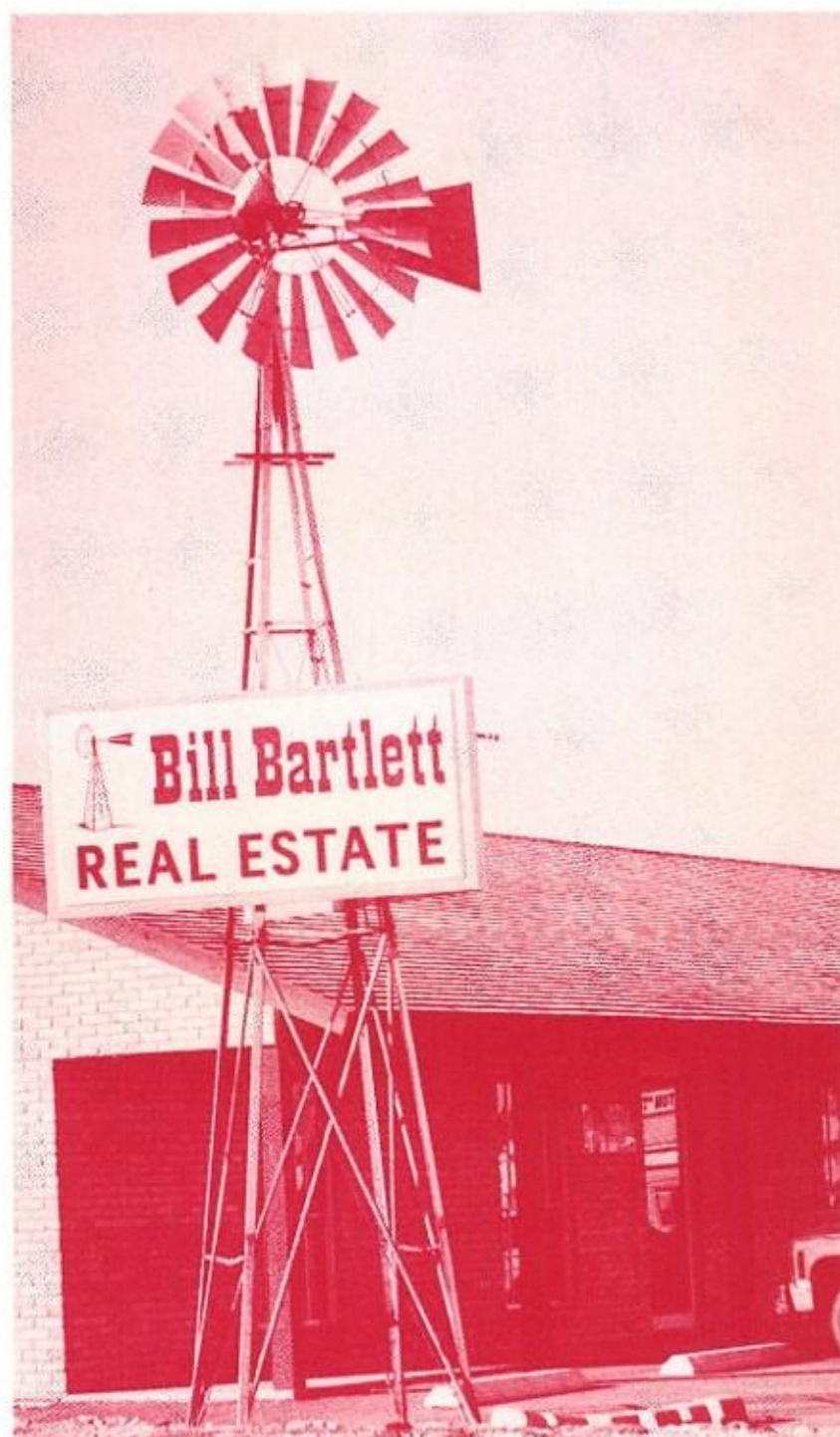
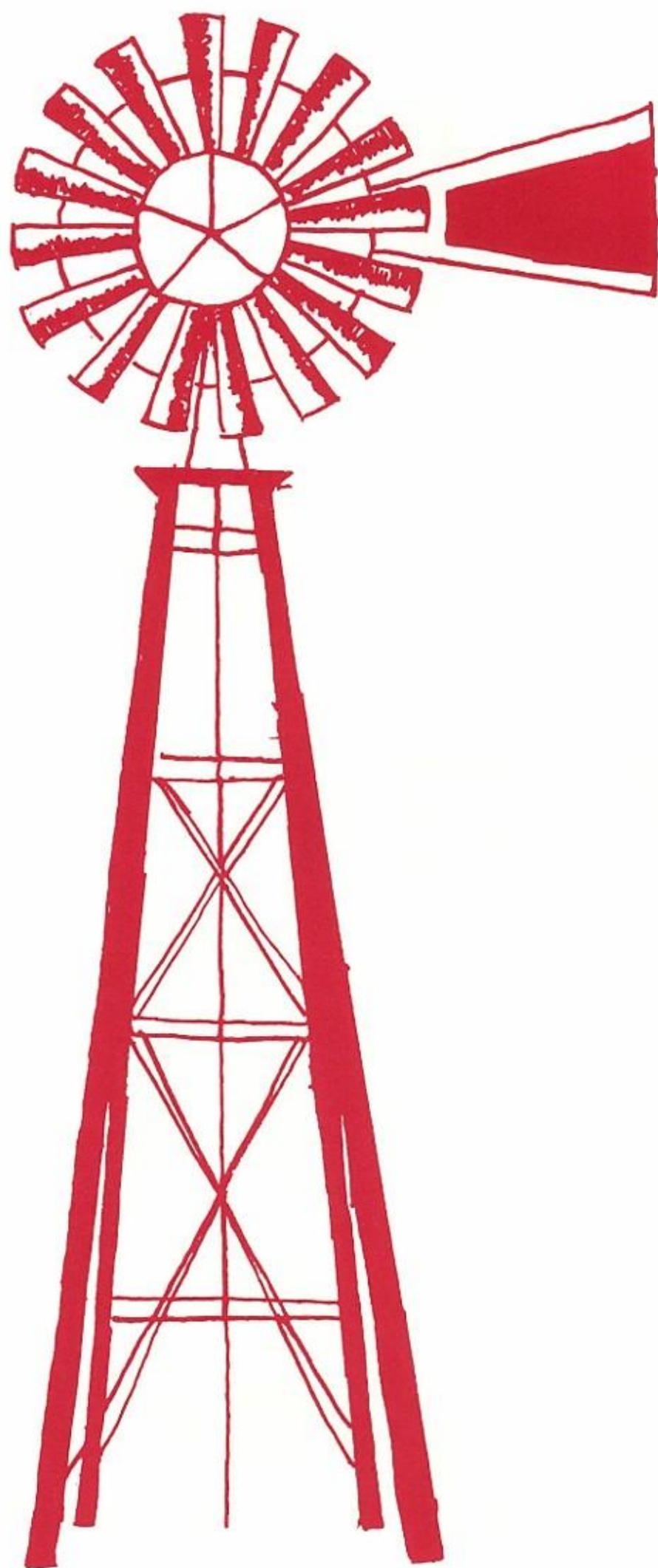
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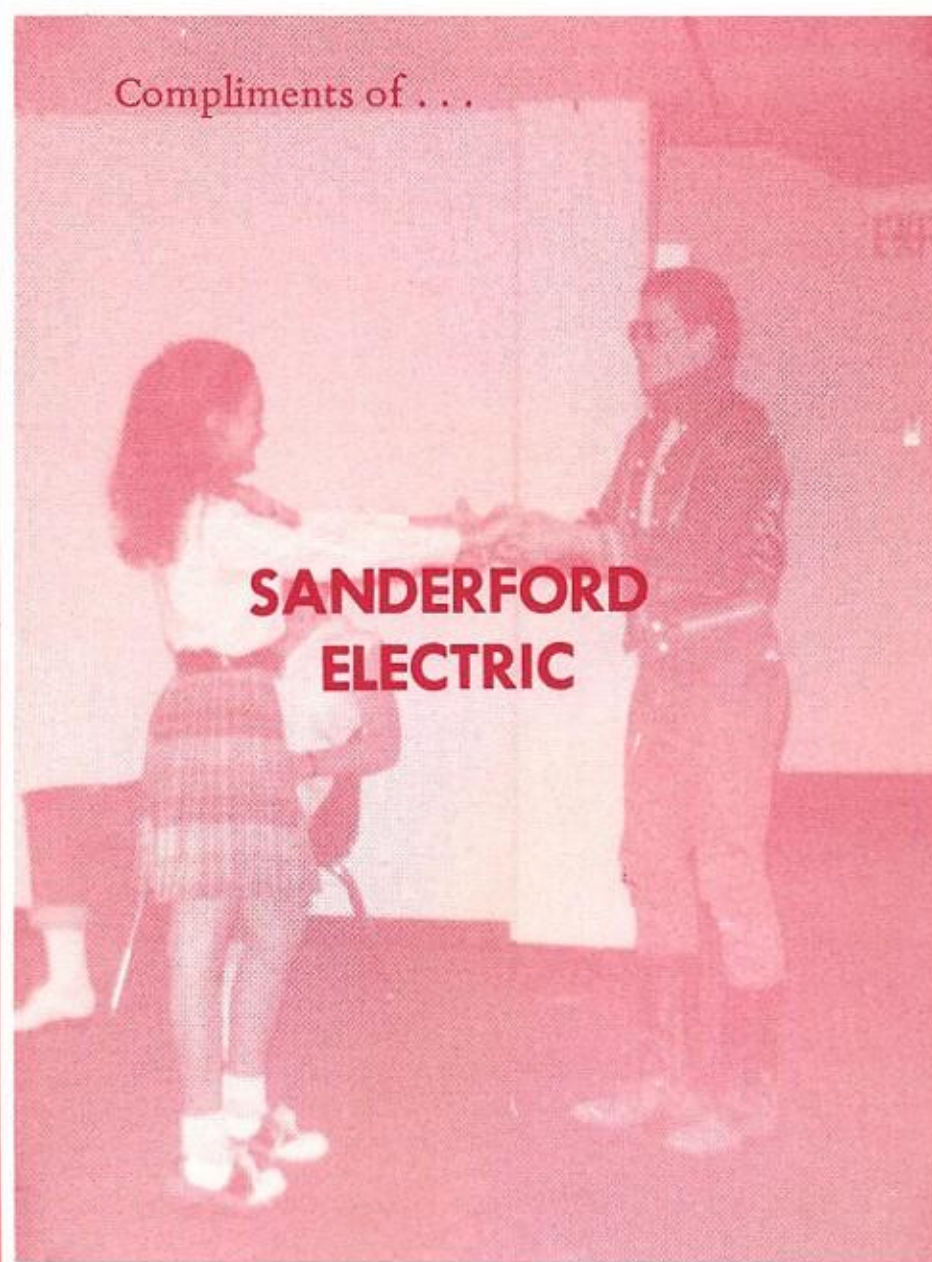
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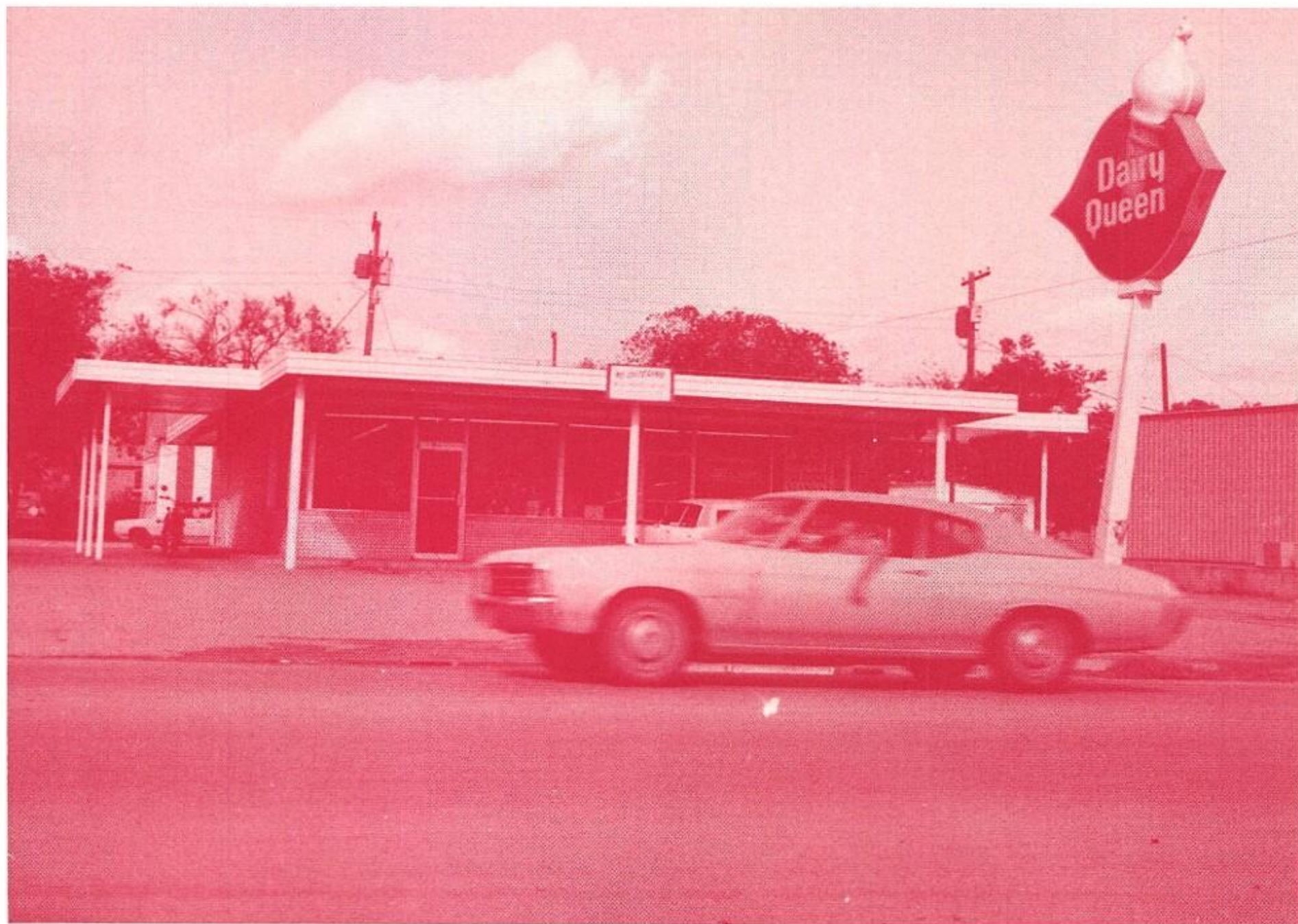
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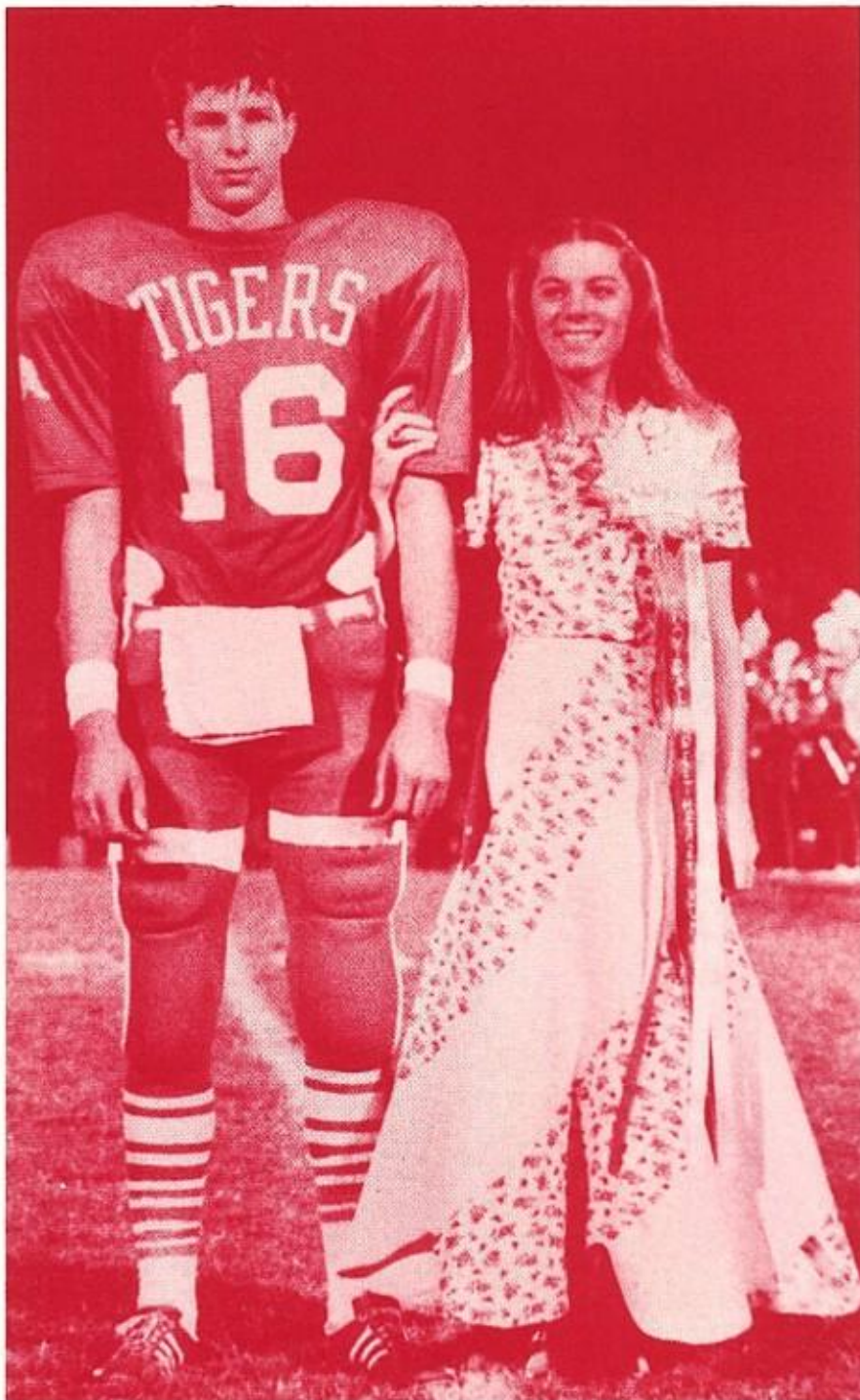


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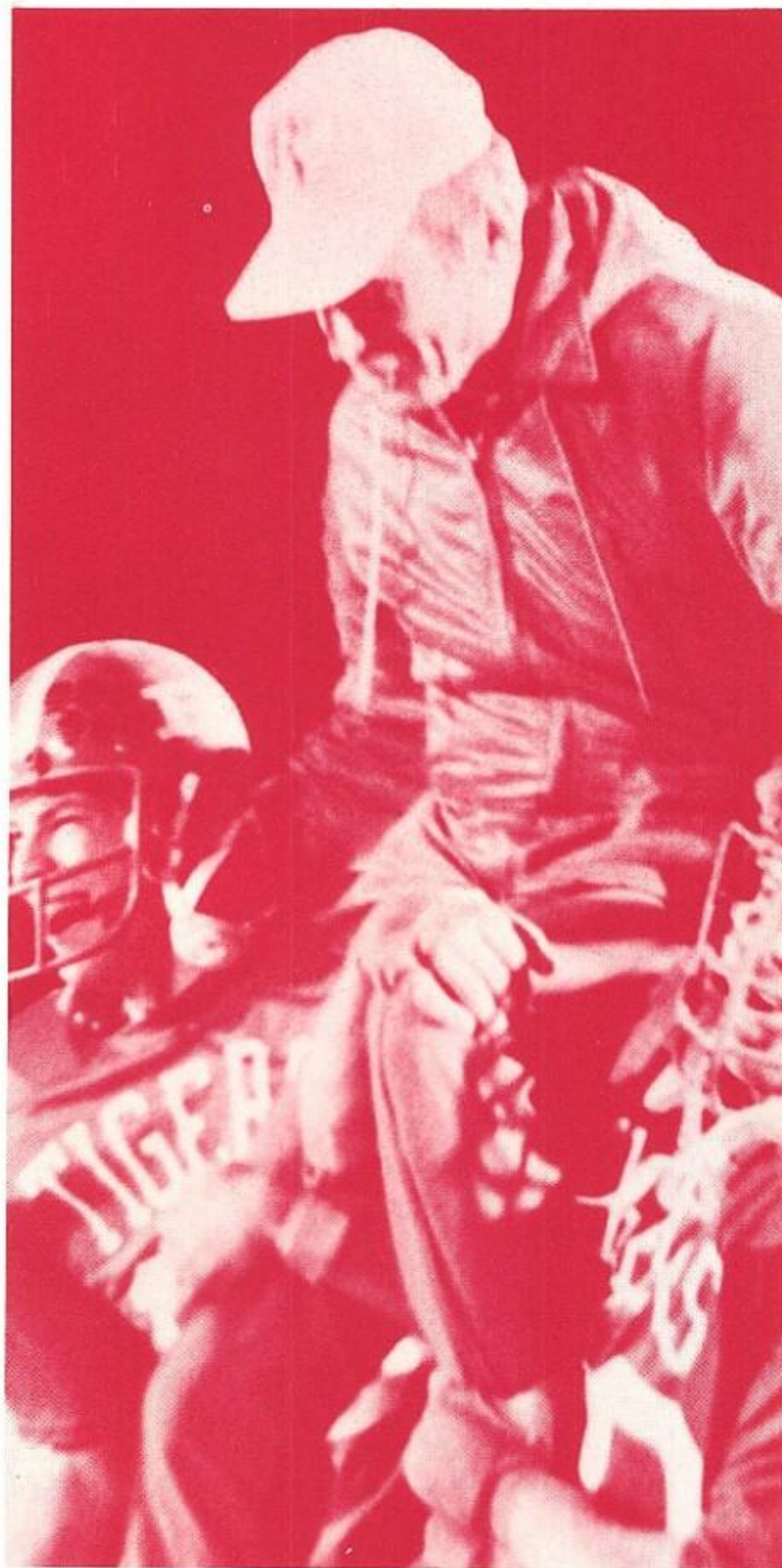
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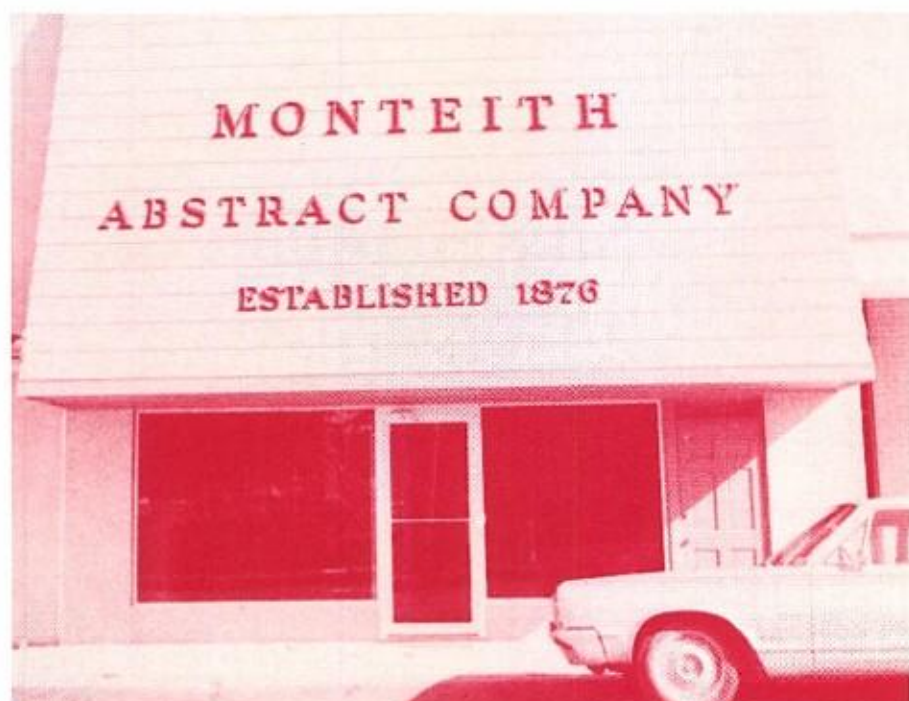
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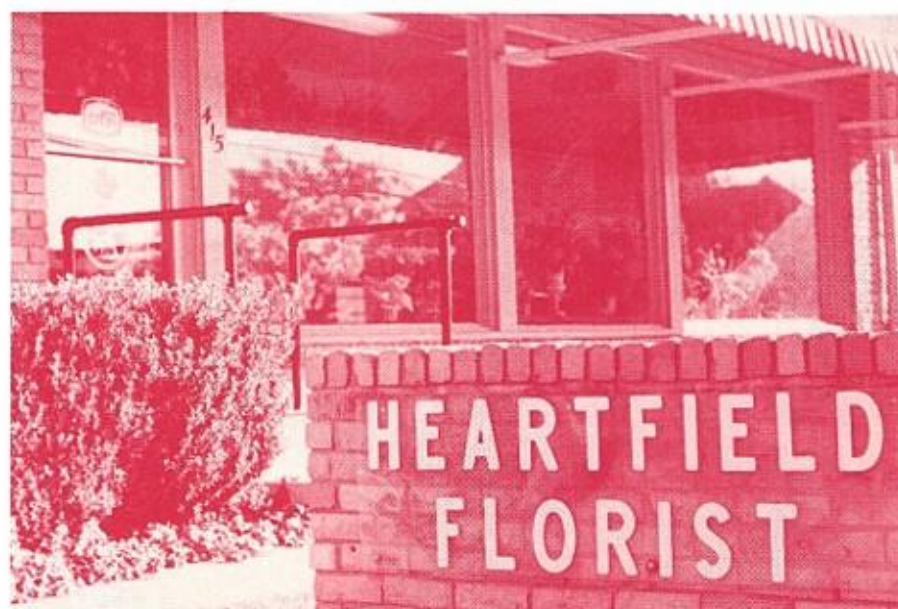
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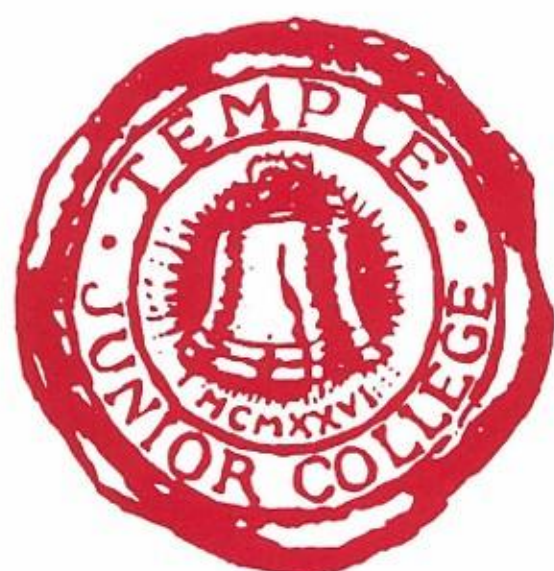
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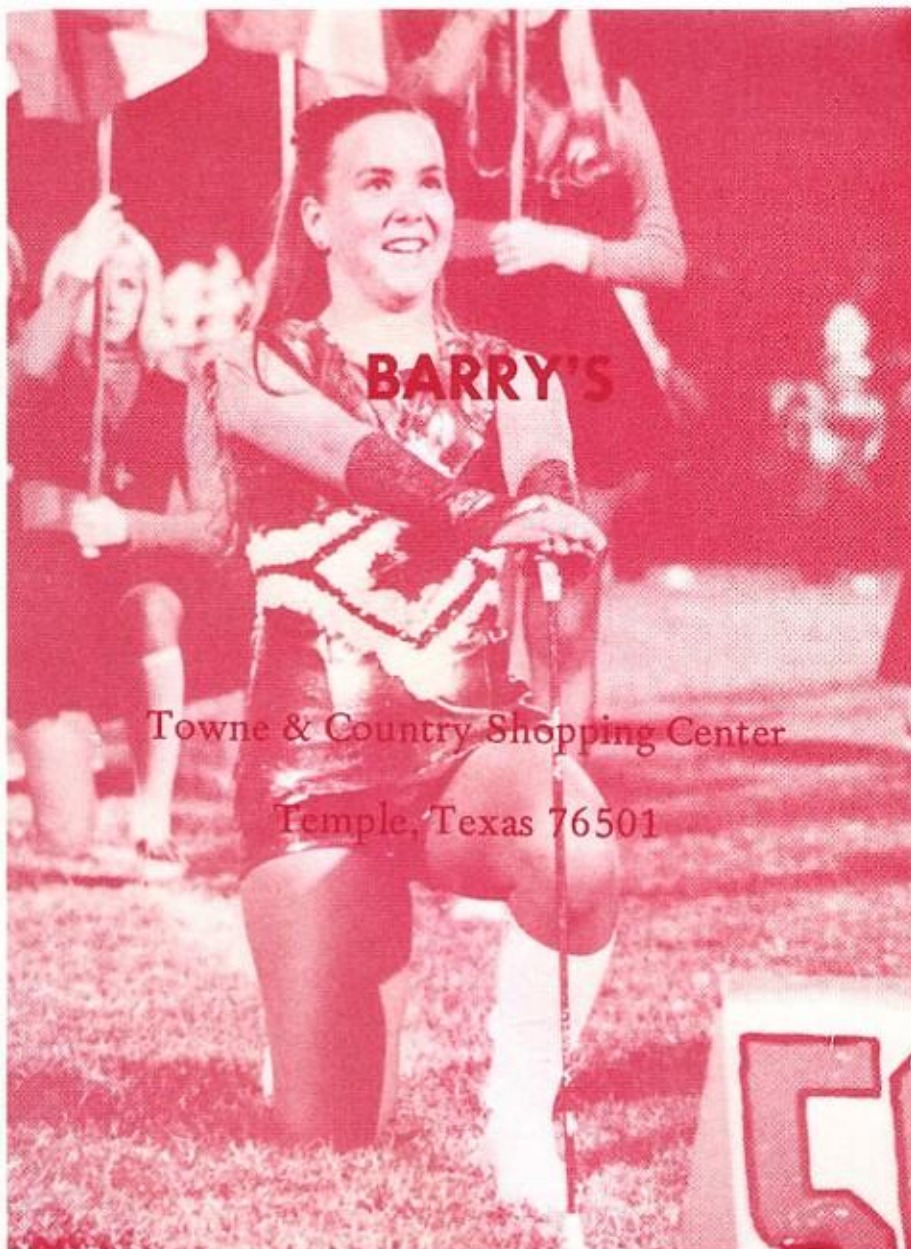
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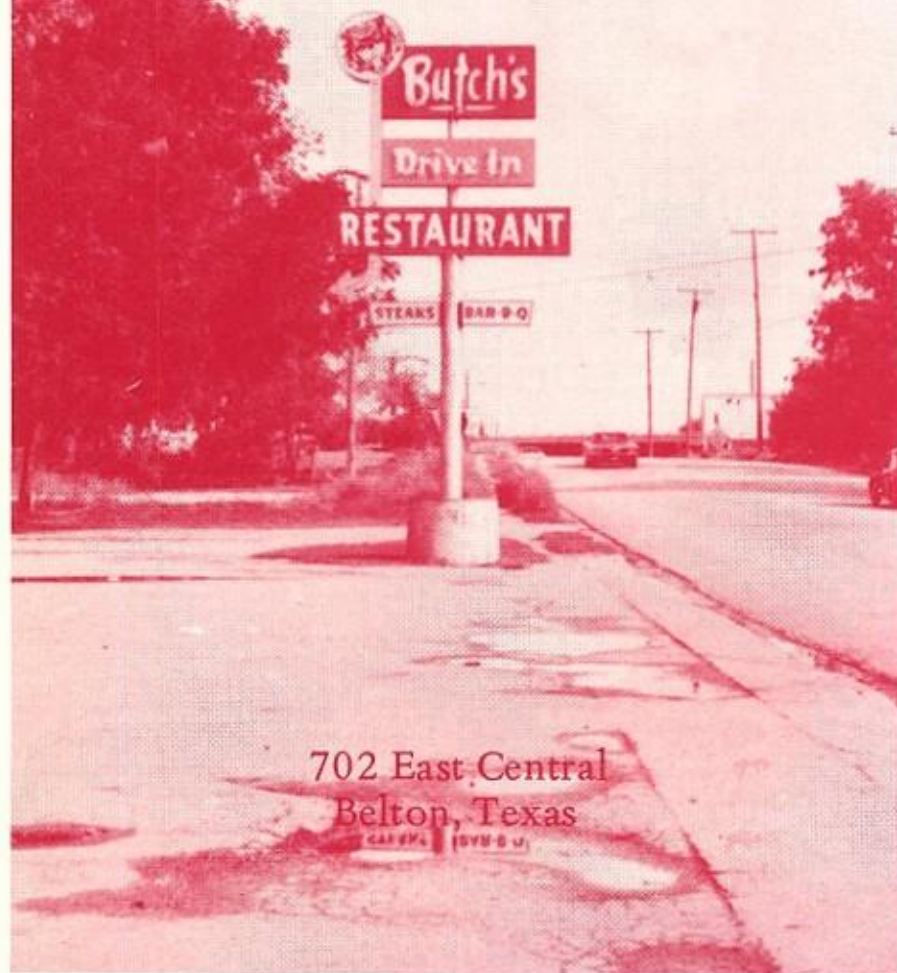
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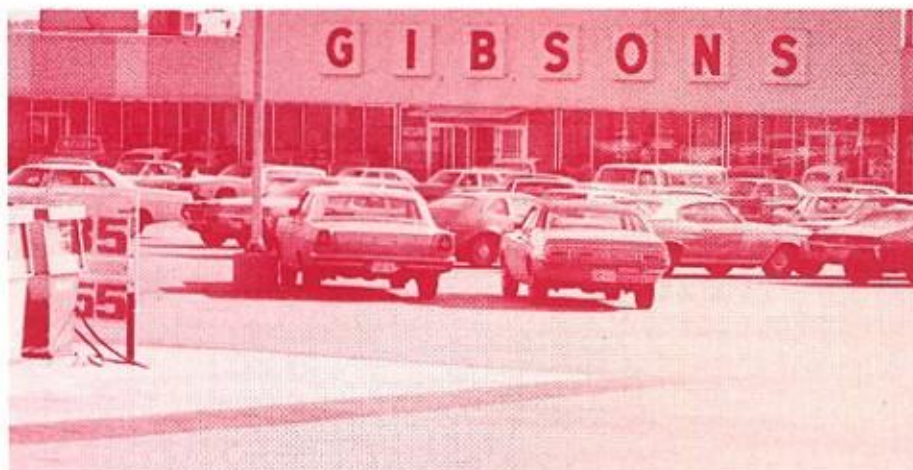


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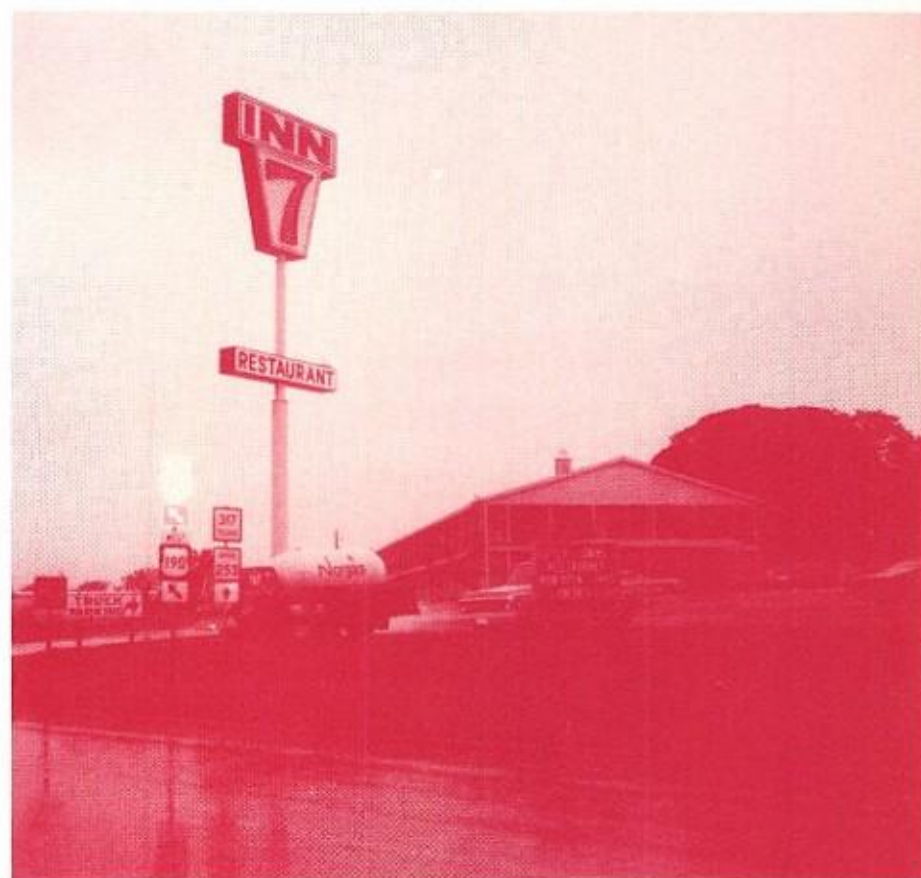
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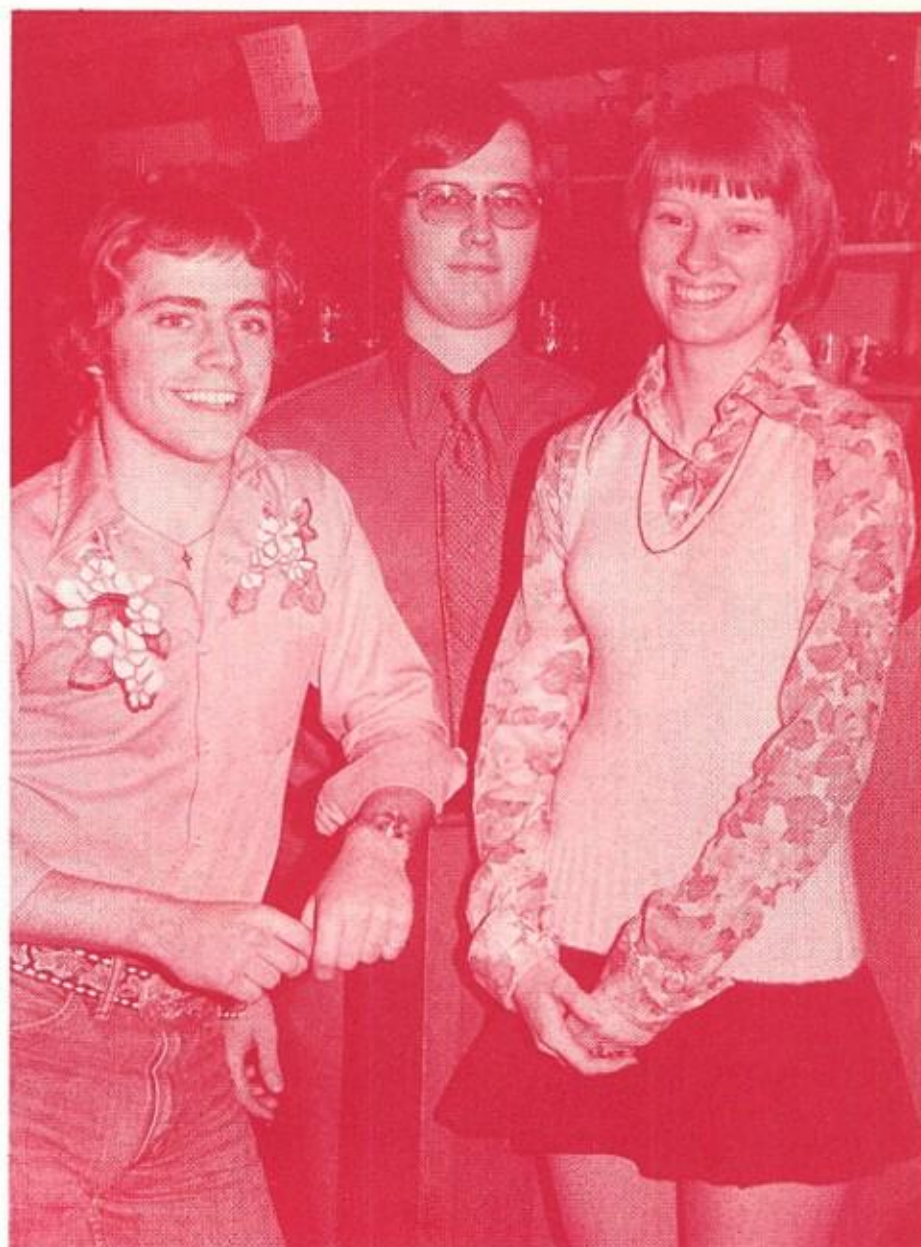
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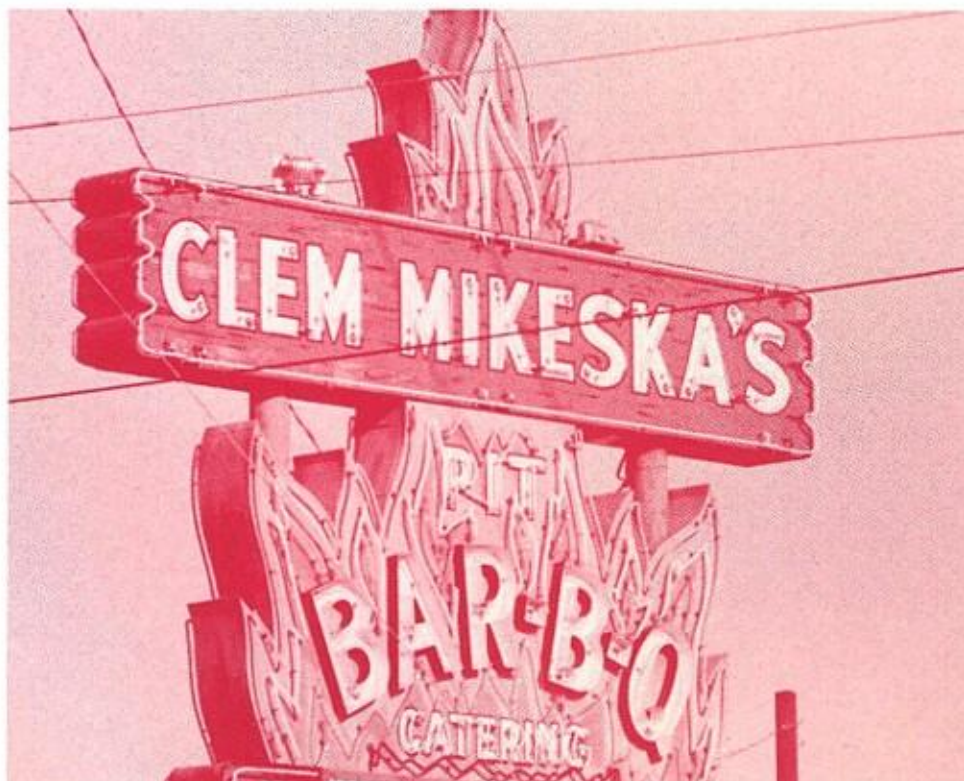
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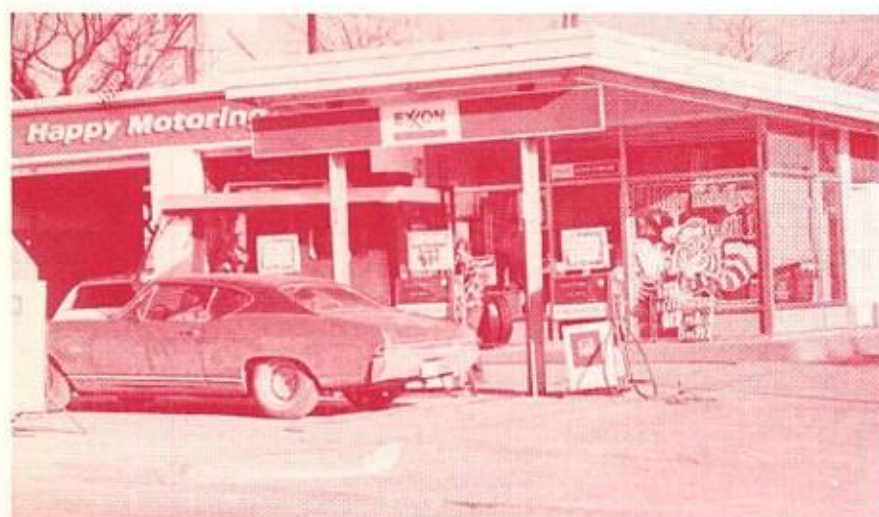
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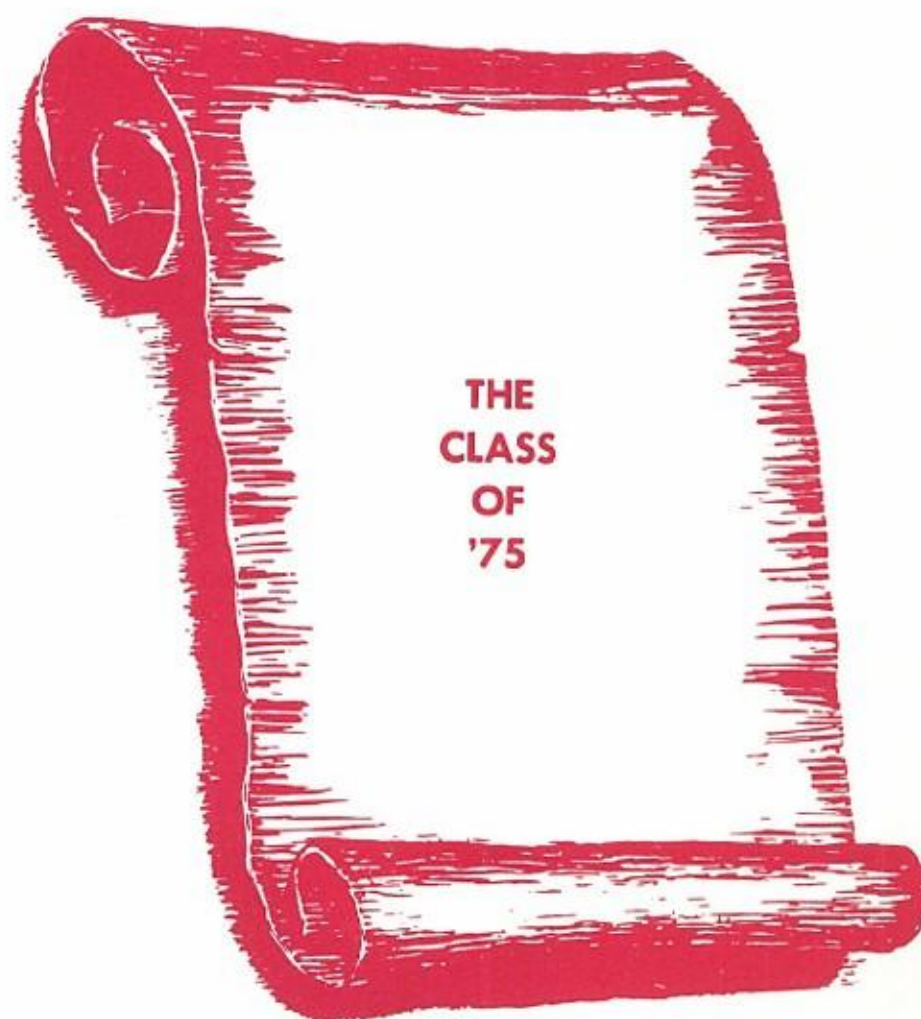
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